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# STAMPS ON BRICKS AND THES FROM THE AURELIAN WALL AT ROME

## [PLATES I-X]

ON the 23rd of October, 1902, after a violent rain-storm, a piece of the so-called Aurelian Wall at Rome, 29.7 m. (or 100 Roman feet) long, standing between the fifth tower and the sixth east of the Porta San Giovanni, collapsed<sup>1</sup> (cf. La Tribuna, Rome, October 24, 1902).

The debris, which consisted of bricks and tiles more or less broken, of lumps of tufa, mortar, and earth, were soon after removed and piled up temporarily near by, the broken bricks and tiles by themselves. Casual observation having revealed that many of the latter bore ancient Roman stamps, Professor Richard Norton, the Director of the School, obtained for us the official permission to make an exhaustive search for and examination of them.

The results of this work are contained in the present paper.

All the bricks and tiles on the site were examined, one by one, either by ourselves, or under our constant personal supervision by workmen especially instructed. Every piece found bearing any letters was kept : and of the pieces that were stamped or otherwise marked with figures only, all but those that bore duplicates of some common and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The measure (our own) is in agreement with the tower-interval given by Professor Rodolfo Lanciani, *Ruins and Eccavations of Ancient Rome*, 1897, 'Walls of Aurelian and Probus,' p. 68.

Speaking of the deplorable decay of these defences, he says (op, vit, p, 68): "A section of them, 70 metres long, between the Porta 8. Giovanni and 8. Croce in Gerusalemme, fell in 1893. The only measure taken was a warning given to passers-by that another portion would soon share the same fate."

Cf. also Bull. della Comm. Archeol. Com. 1892, pp. 87-111.

For a full description of the Aurelian Wall, see Otto Richter, *Topographic der Stadt Rom*, 'in I. von Müller's *Handbuch der klass.* Alterthumswissenschaft, vol. III. pt. iii, 2nd half, 1901, pp. 66–72. A brief account of it is given by Samuel B. Platner in *The Topography and Monuments of Ancient Rome*, Boston, 1904, pp. 64–67 and 116–122.

The brick industry in ancient Rome is discussed by R. Lanciani, Ruins and Excavations of Ancient Rome, pp. 38-42. Cf. also H. Blünner, Technologie . . . bei Griechen und Römern, 1879, vol. II, pp. 1-32.

The best introduction to the study of Roman brickstamps is the preface by Dr. Heinrich Dressel to vol. XV, pt. i (1891), of the *Corpus Inscriptionum Lotinarum*. The subject is briefly treated by Rene Cagnat, *Cours & Epigraphie Latine*, 3rd ed., 1898, pp. 308-314, and by James C. Egbert, *Introduction to the Study of Lotin Inscriptions*, 1897, pp. 269-273, with examples on pp. 337-340.

simple circular kinds.<sup>1</sup> A few stamps, which had been picked up at the place by friends before our systematic search began, were most kindly given us to complete the collection when our intention was made known. We also found a few small pieces of coarse black-and-white Roman floor-mosaie, some small pieces of bricks edged with simple ornamental mouldings of leaves, of eggs and darts, and of cubes, some slab-shaped bits of *giallo antico*, and an insignificant, much-worn fragment of a Latin inscription on white marble, apparently from a Roman tomb.

The collected objects are for the present deposited in the American School of Classical Studies in Rome.

The stamps were carefully cleansed by means of crude concentrated hydrochloric acid and a stiff brush, and subsequent rinsing with cold water; then read or deciphered as well as their often very defective condition permitted, if necessary in a darkened room by a strong side-light, and at last carefully recorded in the following Table.

The number of stamps and other marks thus obtained was 832, of which 594 are lettered, whole and fragmentary, the fragments not belonging to the same brick, and 238 figured, whole and fragmentary, the latter likewise not belonging to the same brick. The stamps and marks are, by our registration, of 464 different kinds.

The Table consists of two parts :

Part I, containing the data recorded of lettered stamps, Nos. 1-336;

Part II, consisting of an index to the ten illustrative Plates, together with the data recorded of unlettered or figured stamps and marks, Nos. 337–464.

PLATE I is a view of the site (cf. p. 72). On PLATES II, III, IV, VIII, and IX are reproduced a few only of the lettered stamps, namely, some not found by us recorded elsewhere, and others requiring especial comment: but all the well-characterized different kinds of *figured* stamps and of similar marks not stamped are reproduced on PLATES III-X: indeed, for the sake of completeness a few specimens are given of the marks mentioned above that may be accidental.

In Part I of the Table, the lettered stamps are arranged in three groups:

First are placed (Nos. 1–221) what may be called the identified stamps, entire or fragmentary; that is, stamps which we found with certainty or, at least, great probability already noted in the *Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum*, vol. XV, pt. 1 (1891).<sup>2</sup>

<sup>4</sup> The stamped figures consist of various designs, of groups of large dots, or of combinations of such dots with designs. A few might be the chance imprints of the bottom of a vessel or some other object.

The marks that are not stamped — that is, not impressed, like ordinary lettered stamps, by means of an engraved block or some similar ready-made device — consist of coarse dots, dashes, and curves, and combinations of them. They look as if they had been impressed either with the round end of a stick or drawn with the fungertips.

<sup>2</sup> We are aware that some fragments which we have thus associated with recorded stamps may belong to stamps as yet unrecorded, since it is often impossible to ascertain from a fragment what the entire stamp really was; especially as stamps are known to occur not only in slightly differing variants, but also with errors and other exceptional features.

The accumulated records of brickstamps in the *Corpus* represent, however, such a vast body of expert observation, that it is not likely that a comparatively small collection like this, made so recently in Rome itself, should contain many stamps hitherto unnoticed. They are given in the same order as in that work, but are interspersed with a few stamps not found recorded there, about the place of which among the others, however, there could be no doubt.

Next follow (Nos. 222–232) those stamps not found in the *Corpus* which, though clear enough, could not be connected with any stamps there described, and the very defective stamp No. 233.

Last are put fragments of lettered stamps which might, generally speaking, have belonged to some one or several already in the *Corpus*, but could not from defectiveness be identified. We have, for the sake of clearness, attempted a partly mechanical classification of this last group, placing first in order those stamps (Nos. 234–258) which belong undoubtedly or very probably to the year of the consulship of L. Venuleius Apronianus and Q. Articuleius Pactinus, 123 A.D. At the head of this subdivision, stamp No. 234 stands by itself, because one example of the tive found (any of these might be *C.I.L.* Nos. 490–493) is almost complete. It is followed by the beginnings, middles, and ends of three-line fragments, then of two-line fragments, and finally of one-line fragments.

After this Apronianus and Paetinus' subdivision come the remaining lettered fragments (Nos. 259–336), grouped by the number of legible letters, and each little group alphabetically ordered in this manner:

Nos. 259, 260, fragments of twelve letters, alphabetically.
No. 261, fragment of ten or eleven letters.
Nos. 262–265, fragments of nine letters, alphabetically. etc. etc.

The record of every lettered stamp extends across two pages, and gives in thirteen columns, — columns three, four, and live not being separated by ruling, —

On the *left-hand* page:

(1) In the column headed "List No.," the list-number of the stamp.

(2) In the column headed "Shape," the outline of the stamp, if it has any, according (generally) to the usage of the *Corpus*, the absence of a figure signifying that the letters have no frame and are stamped in one straight line, or several lines, as recorded.

The various crescents and other round figures with two cusps, and the circles printed in this column, are of two sizes (see, for instance, p. 64). The larger signifies that the kind of outline indicated has been actually observed; the smaller, that the outline was certainly rounded, at least in part, but that it was not possible to determine from its defective condition either what kind of round figure in general,  $\bigcirc$ , or what kind of crescent or similar round figure with two cusps,  $\bigcirc$ , it was.

(3) In the column headed "Letters," the word "Impressed," if the letters and other marks of a stamp are *not* in relief. In a few cases there is a fuller note or some other remark in this place.

(4) In the column headed "Stamp," the text of the stamp in "Latin Antique" capital letters and large punctuation-marks as made out from the example or examples of it found by us: and, moreover, the text, — if the stamp is one recorded in the *Corpus* or elsewhere, and our record of it is imperfect on account of defectiveness of the speci-

mens. — completed from the *Corpus* or other source in "self-spacing" italic type with smaller punctuation-marks to match. Large round punctuation-points are used for both the round points and those whose shape was doubtful from defectiveness, or was not noted. Frequently there is under this text a conventional representation of or a statement about other letters and accessory figures on the stamp. A part or all of the explanatory statement is sometimes enclosed in square brackets []. These show that the objects mentioned within them are absent in the examples, but given in the *Corpus*. Hatched letters, like this A, or hatched parts of letters, and accompanying marks (arrow-heads, palm-leaves, and the like) similarly printed, signify doubtful but probable readings. Hatched figures signify the same.

It has been deemed sufficient, following the precedent of the *Corpus*, to use for this part of our record mainly one kind of Roman and Italie type, and a few conventional signs and figures, though in reality both letters and figures may be somewhat different



FIGURE 1.—STAME NO. 117. PAGE 34 (C.I.L. XV, 1, NO. 604, c) Reduced to one-half of the actual size EX FG EMEŠŇS BVRŇ CÆDICIA P S F 123

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in shape as well as size on different kinds of stamps. A correct idea of the heights of letters can be obtained from the ninth column of the Table: we have given them partly, however, because we believe that records of such facts systematically and generally kept might be made useful for identifying stamps that are very defective. A knowledge of the *real* appearance of the letters and figures can, of course, be obtained only by studying the stamps themselves.

The text of all lettered stamps is printed in horizontal straight lines in this record; and the text-lines are in reality straight and occur in the same order on all stamps, the outlined shapes of which are not a circle or semicircle, some kind of crescent or similar round figure with two cusps, or an octagon: but whenever the shape indicated is one of these, the text in the Table is still printed in horizontal straight lines, though a part or all of the text on the stamp may in reality be curved. When in the latter cases there are more lines than one, the Table records them in downward order, thus: The first line is the outermost of the stamp: the second is the second going inward on the stamp; the third (usually a short straight piece of text, or one or more figures or letters) occupies the centre of the stamp. There are no round stamps in this collection with only straight lines of text.

This manner of recording is that of the *Corpus*: the above explanation may be better understood, however, when compared with the preceding reduced facsimile (Fig. 1) of stamp No. 117, and the record of its text underneath, — a stamp especially interesting, because it contains many compound letters, and the record in the *Corpus* is based on two fragments of it only.

(5) In the column headed "Date A.D.," some brief note, more or less definite, taken from the *Corpus* for stamps there described. Longer notes and references on dates are placed under "Remarks." All dated stamps are of the present era. The absence of a note on this subject means that the exact or approximate date is unknown.

(6) In the column headed "C.I.L. XV, 1, No.." the number of the stamp in the *Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum*, vol. XV, pt. 1 (1891), and under that number in the case of rare stamps the number of examples on which the *Corpus* record is based. The absence of a number signifies that we did not find the stamp in the *Corpus*.

(7) In the column headed "Marini, No.," the number of the stamp, occasionally with the small number of an accompanying note, in the *Abate* Gaetano Marini's *Iscrizioni* antiche doliari (pubblicate . . . dal Comm. G. B. de Rossi, con annotazioni del dott. *Enrico Dressel*). Rome, 1884, a work superseded by Dr. Dressel's later monumental record of brickstamps in the *Corpus*, vol. XV, pt. 1.<sup>1</sup>

The record of every lettered stamp gives, on the *right-hand* page:

(8) In the column headed "Remarks," usually more information about the stamp, and a reference in some cases to its illustration on a Plate.

<sup>1</sup> For the convenience of the reader we give below, in addition to the works already referred to, a number of more or less important books and papers recording or discussing Roman stamps on bricks and tiles :

- Lorenzo Fortunati. Relazione generale degli scari e scoperte fatte lungo la Via Latina, etc. (1857-1858). Rome, 1859.
- Charles Descemet. 'Inscriptions Doliaires Latines. Marques de Briques relatives à une partie de la gens Domitia avec une etude sur les Briques romaines du Louvre par M. Ant. Heron de Villefosse.' Bibliothèque des Écoles françaises d'Athènes et de Rome, fasc. XV. Paris, 1880.

Heinrich Dressel, 'Alcune osservazioni intorno ai bolli dei mattoni urbani,' Bull. dell' Instituto di Corr. archeol. 1885, pp. 98-110.

A. Geffroy, 'L'Épigraphie deliaire chez les Romains,' Journal des Sarants, 1886, pp. 163-175, 239-251, 361-370, 425-435.

Heinrich Dressel, Untersuchungen über die Chronologie der Ziegelstempel der gens Domitia, Berlin, 1886.

P. Germano di S. Stanislao, La Casa Celimontana dei SS. Martiri Giovanni e Paolo, Rome, 1894, pp. 500-519.

- G. B. Lugari, 'Sopra la età di alcuni bolli di figuline,' Bull. della Comm. archeol. com. di Roma, 1895, pp. 60-80, pl. v.
- Pietro Crostarosa, 'Inventario dei sigilli impressi sulle tegole del tetto di S. Maria Maggiore,' Nuovo Bull. di Arch. Crist. II (1896), pp. 52-89.
- 'I sigilli dollari nelle basiliche cristiane,' Atti del 2º Congresso internazionale di Archeologia Cristiana tenuto in Roma nell' aprile, 1200; Rome, 1903.

(9) In the column headed "Height of Letters, mm.," the average height of the letters in millimetres, when measured, and usually for each line of the stamp, if there are more than one. Several numbers in a line mean that the heights vary accordingly.

(10) In the column headed "Average Thickness, mm.," the average thickness in millimetres of the bricks or tiles in the direction vertical to the side stamped. For three or more examples, the smallest and the greatest observed average thickness only are given.

(11) In the column headed "Color," the color, in general terms, of the example or examples found. This color depends on the composition of the clay and the degree of its baking, both conditions that could have been as uniform and fixed by habit or by will in Roman times as they are now. Perhaps, therefore, color can be pressed into service for identification or other knowledge. Some regularity there undoubtedly is, for we have noticed several times, as for Nos. 5, 12, 27, 35, 69, 228, and the Theodoric series, 214–218, that numerous examples of one stamp, or closely related stamps, were colored quite or nearly alike.

(12) In the column headed "No. Found," the number of examples found by us of the stamp; that is, of the entire stamp and of fragments of it apparently not belonging to the same brick or tile.

(13) In the last column headed "List No.," the list-number repeated.

Part II of the Table contains an index to the Plates and at the same time a list of figured stamps and other marks with brief notes and references to the illustrations of them. They are roughly classified by the styles and complexity of their designs.

PLATE I is explained here by a long note; PLATES II-X show lettered and figured stamps, as well as some of the other marks in about one-third of their natural size.

If any object on these plates (all, for instance, on PLATE II) has already a place and number in Part 1 of the table, then the descriptive data are not repeated, but the reader is referred to that place by its list-number.

The record of the unlettered stamps and marks represented on PLATES III-X covers only one page at a time. It gives :

(1) In the column headed "List No.," the list-number of any stamp or mark not previously recorded in Part 1.

(2) In the column headed "Plate," the number of the Plate in a Roman numeral and of the illustration on it in an Arabic numeral.

(3) In the column headed "Remarks," sometimes a brief descriptive note, or a statement about similar stamps not illustrated, references, and other information.

(4) In the column headed "Diameter, mm.," the diameter of round figures in millimetres.

(5) In the column headed "Average Thickness, mm.," the thickness of brick or tile, as in Part I.

(6) In the column headed "Color," the color of brick or tile, and

(7) In the last column headed "No. Found," the number of examples kept, usually all that were found, except some of very simple circular stamps, like Nos, 396, 399, 409, and 411 (PLATES VI, 12 and 15, and VII, 7 and 9), the many duplicates of which it did not seem necessary to collect and count.

Figured stamps and other marks on bricks and tiles have not, we believe, been heretofore so fully described.<sup>1</sup> Unfortunately, their purpose is not yet known: on account of their variety it is, indeed, probable that they were used in various ways, perhaps as mere ornaments, as trade-marks or potters' marks, or for a similar practical purpose. Some of them may have been, also, more or less closely associated with Christianity, Mithraism, and other religions.<sup>2a</sup> Considering the simple geometric designs merely as figures, apart from their purpose, comparison shows that many of them are evidently derived from the system of geometric ornamentation common to the early, and even prehistoric, pottery, metal-ware, stone-sculptures, and bone-carvings of both the Mediterranean basin and northern Europe.<sup>2b</sup> We had hoped that their occurrence beside

<sup>1</sup> A few are figured or noticed by L. Fortunati, op. cit. p. 19, nos. 42–44, and p. 65, nos. 87–89; C.I.L. XV, I, p. 4, note 2, and nos. 1019, a, b, 1729–1731 (compare also nos. 1578, a, b); H. Stevenson, Bull. dell' Instituto, 1883, p. 10, note 1; G. Marini, op. cit. nos. 383, 396, 462; P. Crostarosa, Nuova Bull. di Archeol. Crist. II (1896), pp. 56, 59, 74; III (1897), pp. 223, 234, 237; J. Miln, Excavations at Carnac, Brittany, 1877, pp. 66, 73.

Similar figures are found on Roman lamps (C.I.L. XV, ii, I, p. 860, and nos. 6433, n. 6440, 6576, b, 6876, c; F. X. Kraus, Real-encyclopaedie der christl. Alterthümer, vol. II (1886), figs. 126, 128, 169, and others), on Palestinian pottery (Palestine Exploration Fund, 1902, pp. 335, 336), on leaden tokens (M. Rostowzew, Tesserae plumbear arbis Romae et subarbi, 1903, pls. iii, 12, 55, iv, 50, vi, 9, 62, etc.), on coins (II. Cohen, Description historique des Monnaies frappées sous l'Empire Romain, vol. III (1860), pl. xv, 200, and others; C. R. Smith, Collectaneu antiqua, II (1852), pl. xhv, 5), and on other objects (cf. note 2, a and b).

The disks or simple circles with or without a central dot or small circle, or a number of dots or circles (as, for example, List Nos. 74, 79, and PLATES IV, 17, VI, 1-5, VII, 1, 3, 4, 6), may be representations of shields (M. Rostowzew, op. cit. pl. vi, 9, or D. Vaglieri, Bull. della Comm. archeol. com. XXXI (1903), p. 43), of paterae, or the round and often perforated cavities for receiving libations, so frequent on Roman sepulchral inscriptions (C.I.L. VI, nos. 4682, 4654, 4834, 5313, 5589, 5716, 6752, 7195, a, 9621, 11797, 15224, 16163, 16183, 16603, 17120, 27876, and many others; cf. also R. Fabretti, Inscriptionum antiquarum . . . Explicatio, etc., 1702, pp. 63, 70; C. R. Smith, Coll. ant. VII (1880), pp. 175, 196, pls. xix, 6, xix, x, 3, V (1861), pl. xvi, 3; C. Clermont-Ganneau, Archaeological Researches in Palestine, 1873-74, vol. II, p. 476; F. Cumont, Textes et Monuments figures relatifs and Mystères de Mithea, 1896, vol. II, p. 418, fig. 349; C.I.L. IX, no. 1550; J. Macdonald, Tituli Hunteriani, an Account of the Roman Stones in the Hunterian Museum, Univ. of Glasgow, 1897, pl. viii, figs. 1, 4; C. R. Smith, Coll. ant. III (n.d.), pl. xxiii, 2).

• A circle with a central dot was used likewise, however, for the letter  $O \in C.I.L.$  XV, ii, 1, no. 5185); it occurs further as a letter in the Etruscan and other Italic alphabets (K. O. Müller, *Die Etrusker*, 1877, vol. 11, Beil, 2, plate; R. S. Conway, *The Italic Dialects*, 1897, vol. 11, table), and as an ideogram for the sun, day, and time in ancient Egyptian hieroglyphic writing (A. Erman, *Egyptian Grammar*, Engl. ed., 1894, p. 183, N, 7, 8).

Marks shaped like some of the dotted figures and letters (PLATES VIII, 1-5, 10, 13, IX, 2, 5) were used by Roman stone-masons already in early times (O. Richter, *Uber autike Steinmetzzeichen*, 1885 (cf. also A. Mau, *Mittheilungen*, *Röm. Abth.* IV (1889), pp. 292–294); A. Sogliano, *Notizie degli Scavi.* 1898, pp. 69, 70; 1901, pp. 357–361; H. P. F. Marriott, *Facts about Pompei*, 1895), and they occur likewise in Italic alphabets (K. O. Müller, *op. cit.* vol. II, Beil. 2, plate; R. S. Conway, *op. cit.* table; and I. Zvetaieff, *Sylloge Inscriptionum Oscarum*, 1878, vol. Plates, p. \* Formae\*). Compare also M. Armellini, *H Cimitero di S. Agnese*, 1880, pp. 336, 337.

<sup>2</sup> (Many of the following references are given merely to afford the reader material for comparison. If the works mentioned are also referred to in Part II of the Table, column "Remarks," the exact place-references will be found there, any work being indicated either by the author's name, or an abbreviation of the title, or both. References for the fylfot or swastika are only given here, and marked  $\mathcal{F}$ .)

(a) Some of the figures are identical with such familiar religious symbols as the simple cross (PLATES VIII, I, IX, 2), the fylfot or swastika (PLATE IH, 15), the pre-Constantinian and other Christ-monograms (PLATE V, 3, 6, 8), the eucliaristic bread (PLATE V, 6, V1, 12), the palm-leaf (PLATE X, 4), the star (PLATE V, 3, 6, 8), grapes? (PLATE IX, 3, 5), and water (PLATE X, 7, 12). — Cf. G. B. de Rossi, Inscriptiones Christianae arbis Romae, vol. I (1857-61), no. 982; Bull. Crist. VI (1868). pp. 88-91\*; Masco epiquatico Pio-Lateranense, 1877, pl. xiv, 30, 31\*; F. X. Kraus, ap. cit. vol. H, pp. 214-216, 224-238\*, vol. I, p. 522,

lettered stamps on the same bricks might, if frequent and systematic, enable us to use them for dating bricks on which they occurred alone; but the cases of such simultaneous occurrence proved to be very uncommon. They are Nos. 74, 75, 77, 79, 96, 234, 272, 336, — one each, — and two of No. 223. Seven of these belong to the time of Hadrian.

A perusal of the entire Table shows how remarkable are the number and the variety of stamps and other brickmarks contained in one short piece between two towers of the Aurelian Wall. The datable stamps range over more than four and a half centuries, beginning with the middle of the tirst of our era. Many of the bricks were consequently made in ages far apart, and probably most of them once served for buildings in the neighborhood. We collected all together 832 stamps and marks, but a part of the lettered stamps only could be chronologically arranged, as shown in the Diagram, Fig. 2.

The fact that brickstamps of 123 A.D. are the commonest of all was already known to Marini (1742–1815; cf. op. cit. p. 129, and II, Dressel, Bull. dell' Inst. 1885, pp. 106, 107). The extraordinary number of stamps for Hadrian's time is probably due, in part at least, to an extraordinary amount of building, and not merely to a passing fashion of stamping a greater proportion of the bricks made; for the stamped bricks of the times of Pius and Severus, likewise periods of building-activity, are also numerous.

fig. 177; M. Armellini, Il cimitero di S. Agnese, 1880, pp. 167, 255, 268, 316; Gli antichi cimiteri Cristiani di Roma e d'Italia, 1893, pp. 2714, 454; H. Marucchi, Éléments d'archéologie Chrétienne, Notions générales, 1899, pp. 162, 1657, 166; Itinéraire des catacombes, 1900, p. 318\*; W. Lowrie, Monuments of the early church, 1901, pp. 223, 224, 2387, 239, and figs. 8, 80\*; G. Wilpert, 4La croce sui monumenti delle catacombe,' in Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist. VIII (1902), pp. 5-14, figs. 1, a-3, a, and 5, a, pls. vi, vii; Roma sotterranea, Le pitture delle catacombe Romane, etc., 1903, pl. 28, pp. 118, 182, p. 183, fig. 171, p. 426, fig. 40; A. Bacci, Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist. VIII (1902), p. 128, 2nd inscription; — C.I.L. X, no. 8042 (164)\*; H. Cohen, ap. cit. vol. HI (1860), pl. xv, 200, and others; F. Cumont, op. cit. vol. II, figs. 8, 246, 293, pp. 257, 258, 295, 418; A. Tylor, Archaeologia, XLVIII, 1 (1884), pp. 241-244, pl. xii, 5; R. P. Greg, Archaeologia, XLVIII, 2 (1885), pp. 293-326\*; J. Macdonald, op. cit. pl. xv, figs. 3, 4; P. Cavvadias, Fouilles d'Épidaure, vol. 1 (1893), p. 112; Chr. Blinkenberg, Athen. Mitth. XXIV (1899), pp. 379-397; Inscr. Graec. vol. IV (1902), pp. 486-190.

(b) Monumenti inediti, IX (1869-72), pl. xxxix\*; G. Ghirardini, Monumenti antichi, VII (1897); G. Senre, Bull, Corr. Hell, XXVIII (1904), p. 217, fig. 14; E. Curtius and F. Adler, Olympia, Tafelband IV (1890); A. Conze, Melische Thongefösse, 1862, pls. iii, iv\*; Zur Geschichte der Anfänge griechischer Kunst, 1870, pls, iv, a\*, b\*, v, 4\*, vi, 1\*; G. de Mortillet, Le signe de la croix avant le Christianisme, 1868; J. B. Waring, Ceramic art in remote ages, 1874, pls. 41\*-44\*; H. Schliemann, Mycenae, Engl. ed., 1878, pl. xx, no. 197\*; A. Furtwangler und G. Loescheke, Mykenische Vasen, 1885, Mykenische Thongefässe, 1886; W. H. Goodyear, The grammar of the Lotus, 1891, pp. 347-359, pl. 1x\*; K. Masner, Die Sammlung antiker Vasen und Terracotten in k. k. oesterr, Museum, 1892, pl. i, 31\*; H. Schmidt, H. Schliemann's Sammlung trojanischer Alterthümer, 1902, pls. vii, 5252\*, 5248\*, 5241\*, viii, 5274\*, 5276\*, 5328; C. R. Smith, Coll. ant. vol. I (1848), pl. xxii, 9\*, H-VII (1852-80); S. Wide, Mittheilungen, Athén, Abth, XXII (1897), fig. 10\*.

E. von Sacken. Das Grabfeld von Hallstatt in Ober-aesterreich, 1868; F. Keller, The lake-direttings of Switzerhand and other parts of Europe, 2nd Engl. ed. 1878, pl. elxi, 3, 4; F. Schested, Fortidsminder og oldsager fra Equen om Broholm, 1878, pl. xxvii, 19, a<sup>+</sup>; J. Evans, The ancient bronze-implements, weapons, and ornaments of Great Britain and Ireland, 1881; J. Undset, Das erste Auftreten des Eisens in Nord-Europa, 1882; J. J. A. Worsaac, Danish arts, 1882, figs. 153\*, 181\*, 182\*, 189\*; R. Munro, The lake-dwellings of Europe, 1890; W. G. Wood-Martin, Pagan Ireland, 1895; O. Montelius, Les Temps préhistoriques en Suède (transl. S. Reinach), 1895; Sur les sculptures de rachers de la Suède, 1875, p. 8, fig. 12\*; A. Issel, Bull, di Paletnologia italiana, XV (1889), pl. i; K. von den Steinen, Prähistorische Zeichen und Ornamente, Festschrift fur F. A. Bastian, 1896, pp. 249–272\*; W. C. Borlase, The dolmens of Ireland, 1897; S. Müller, Nordische Alterthumskunde, 1897; R. Munro, Prehistoric Scotland, 1890.

(Some references, not given here, to periodicals will be found in Part 11 of the Table, column "Remarks.")

The classification of the bricks according to their thicknesses, and, when possible, also their dates, is represented diagrammatically in Fig. 3. Every group in it has a base-line of its own, recording thicknesses in millimetres, as given by the consecutive numbers 19-52under the lowest and the highest of them. The vertical lines represent numbers of bricks, their units being indicated in the lateral scales. Bricks with both lettered and figured stamps are recorded twice, and shown by the thickened parts of vertical lines, the kinds of figures being indicated among the lettered stamps.

On scanning this diagram from below upward, a general trend of the vertical lines for the dated lettered stamps from the right to the left is apparent; that is, Roman bricks and tiles grew thinner, generally speaking, with the progress of time, -a fact already well known. It is interesting to observe further that, although the bricks were made of different thicknesses at all times, yet certain ones predominate, and that these predominant thicknesses usually represent simple fractions of the Roman foot, which equalled 296 mm. Brieks of other thicknesses, however, are sometimes also numerons: there are, for example, in Hadrian's time thirty-seven and twenty-nine bricks of 40 mm. and 35 mm. thickness, respectively.

The thickest briek of all (List No. 154) is of the first century. In the reign of Hadrian the pre-

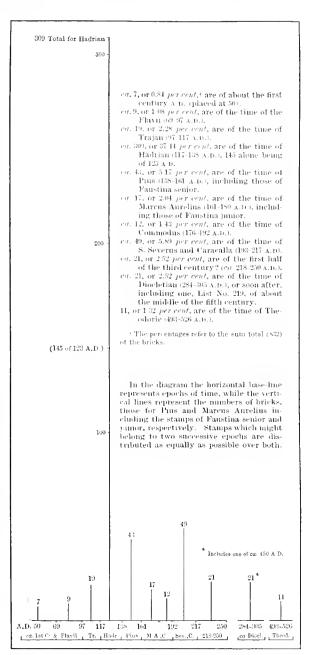


FIGURE 2, ---- DIAGRAM AND TABLE SHOWING THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE DATED STAMPS IN TIME

dominant thickness is 37-38 mm., or  $\frac{1}{8}$  Roman foot. In the reigns of Antoninus Pius and Septimius Severus it seems to be 33 mm., or  $\frac{1}{9}$  Roman foot. The dated bricks of other times are not sufficiently numerous to permit a reliable conclusion.

The predominant thickness of the undated lettered stamps is 35 mm., not a simple fraction of the Roman foot of 296 mm.: but the bricks of 37 and 27 mm., or  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{11}$  Roman foot thickness, are also comparatively numerous.

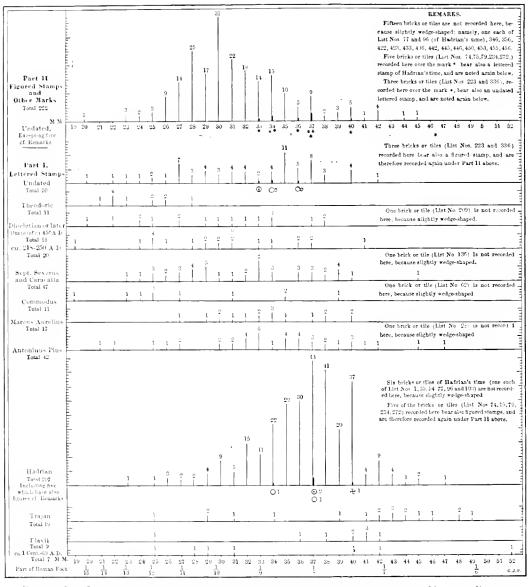


FIGURE 3. — DIAGRAM REPEISINING THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE STAMPED AND MARKED BRICKS ACCORDING TO THEIR THICKNESSES

The predominant thickness for the figured stamps is emphatically 30 mm., or practically  $\frac{1}{10}$  Roman foot, from which, — in view of the facts just reviewed, — we may conclude, with some assurance, that most of them are probably of not earlier

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date than about the first half of the third century. This inference seems to be confirmed by the occurrence of a few of the same and similar figures in the centre of certain lettered stamps (compare List Nos. 198, 203, 204, 206, 207, 213), which are assigned by G. B. Lugari (*op. cit.*, see p. 5, above), though for other reasons, to the same date.

It is probable that the great majority of the bricks of this collection were already quite old at the time of the original construction of the Aurelian Wall in 272-ca. 279 A.D. How many of them, if any, were used for the wall at that time it is, however, impossible to determine, as the piece of which we have examined the material appears to have been repaired a number of times in the Middle Ages. It may have been repaired, even largely reconstructed, with ancient material by Arcadius and Honorius as early as 402 A.D.

A. Nibby states in Le Mara di Roma (Rome, 1820), p. 358 (see p. 72, note 1), that the entire stretch of the Aurelian Wall from the Antiteatro Castrense to the Porta San Giovanni shows characteristics of the time of Honorius: that the tower at the east end of the piece of fallen wall examined by us (the top of this tower fell or was torn down at the same time) was repaired repeatedly from the twelfth century to the sixteenth, and that the stretch of wall next following toward the west (the very piece of fallen wall studied by us) hore the inscription, tVLIVS III | PONT. MAX. This Pope was elected in 1550 and died in 1555. We did not see his inscription, and do not know when it was removed.

The large number of brickstamps found has enabled us in some cases to complete, elaborate, and slightly to correct the records of those which we found already noted in the *Corpus*. Up to the time of writing we have not seen recorded there any lettered stamps corresponding in part or whole to the following of our list: Nos. 10, 57, 76, 81, 83, 84, 87, 110, 147, 154, 168, 173, 179, 196, 201, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, and 232, — all together twenty-six kinds, not considering, of course, No. 233 and the many unidentified fragments, Nos. 234–336; but almost all of these probably belong to stamps already known.

It has been a great privilege for us, as members of the American School of Classical Studies in Rome, to be allowed to collect and study freely the archaeological material here described. Therefore, in closing these introductory remarks, we wish to thank the Director-General of Fine Arts and Antiquities of Italy, Sig. Comm. Carlo Fiorilli, and the Director of Antiquities of the City of Rome, Professor Giuseppe Gatti, for their courtesy and assistance.

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## TABLE OF STAMPS

## PART FIRST:

List No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	С. <i>І.L.</i> XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
1	Ö		• Pr • aiacianis • OP • DOL EX • of • cal • pRIMIT In centre, a pine-cone	about end of Hadrian	10 5 noted	671 ²
2	9	PÆ	TIVIANIS M VINIC FORTVN TINO E APRONIAN	123	13	412
30		MIF	DLA · ET · PANSA · COS LVPI · BRVT · FEST tre, a wolf turned to the right	122	26	306 <sup>1</sup>
-	9		RON • ET • PAET • COS M RVTIL • T • BR uadruped (wolf?) facing to the right	123	28, b	
5		EX·PR	LA·ET·TITIANO COS ·STAT·MAXIM·SEVERI AN BRVT EX·OF MYRN	127	40	450
6	9	sTA	· marCIVS · LVCIFER	Trajan	61	1038
7	$\bigcirc$		V·PAMP.EX·F·P·IS « CAEPION	Trajan	65	
8	-		D ARIA: FADIlla stati m IVCIFERI Caupion n centre,	ca. 123– 127	83, a	

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### LETTERED STAMPS

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Fouxp	List No.
Within the first and the second lines two concentric circles. The thickness of this brick varies uniformly: it is slightly wedge-shaped.	$\begin{array}{c} ea. \ 11 \\ 10\frac{1}{2} - 11\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$	33-39	buff	1	1
	$ea.\ 10rac{1}{2}$ ea.\ 10	29	brown	1	<u>.</u>
In <i>C.I.L.</i> there are no points in the second line. Within the first line two concentric circles. See note in <i>Marini</i> .	$   \begin{array}{r}     13-14 \\     12-121 \\     2   \end{array} $	33-35	red	3	3
In <i>C.I.L.</i> no point after <b>ET</b> . It states that the figure is a wolf, with his tail drawn in.	ea. 13 ca. 13	40	red	1	-1
One of the handsomest stamps we know of. The letters are beautiful and exceptionally well cut. $-C.I.L.$ notes only eight examples, and in line 2 gives only the last point.	ea. 10 ca. 10 ca. 10	29-38	red	21	ō
	13-14	48	buff	1	6
C.I.L. gives in the centre a small, horizontal palm-leaf, tip to the right, and the point after <b>PAMP</b> on the level of the others.	13–16 8–10	<u> 39–46</u>	4 brown 1 red	5	7
Example lacks the figure in the centre, being defective.	11-11 <u>1</u>	38	red	1	8

List No.	SHAPE	Letters	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	<i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1 No.	Marin No.
9	Ξ		ex FIG ARRIAE FADILLAE pxTN·E APRON $i$ AN In centre, O O	123	87 2 noted	325
10			$ex + fig + arri + anTONINIe A E PIONIANA SERVIAN\overline{III} ET VARO COS [Fig.: a boar]$	134	92, b 3 noted	468
11	$\bigcirc$		+++ ex · prædis · c · curia <b>TI · COSANI </b> ≪ In centre, cacp ≠	ca. 123	<b>97, a</b> 4 noted	780 -
12	Ö	EX PRA	ED C·C·COSAN CÆPIONIAN SEX AMAND PÆTIN È APRONAO In centre.	A_FI 123	98	343 8
13	0	left, ł	$OP \cdot d \cdot d \cdot f \cdot d \cdot 1$ L MVN · CRESC · centre, standing figure of Mercury turned to the holding in right hand a purse, in left the caduceus is feet a cock ?]	((( الشلل ال)))	124	67
14	0		$e X \cdot pr \cdot dom \ lucil \cdot o \ D \cdot Munat IA$ In centre, a panther running to the right. Over it a vine-branch	ca. 123	125	91
15			O L·VALeri S E v e r i d	beginning 2d cent.	153	1359
16	Θ		OPVS DOliar ex pred dom • nt • aug EX tīgulinis domitlA In centre,	Commodus	155	218
17	$\bigcirc$	In ce	AVGVST • N • OP • Dol • ex • pr • doM (sic) FOR DOMITIAnarV FIG • ntre. an eagle with spread wings (seen from the front) facing to the left		157	
15	9		ex PRÆD·FAVstinæs·aug opv DOL·EX FIG·Domit In centre, Ma in straight lines	Faustina junior	161	124

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
C.I.L. gives a point after <b>PÆŤN</b> , and prints <b>COS</b> in a straight horizontal line.	10-11 10 8-10	38, 40	brown	<u>.)</u>	9
C.I.L. gives SERVIANO on the authority of Marini, but the reading is doubtful (see note, $C.I.L.$ ). This example has SERVIAN and may be, consequently, another variant of C.I.L. 92. After COS occurs the figure of a boar running toward the right.	10	32	red	1	10
C.I.L. gives $\not\cong$ at the end of line 1.	14	37	brown	1	11
One point is wanting in the examples. <i>C.I.L.</i> has <b>SOO</b> in a horizontal line.	$\frac{12-14}{10-18}\\14-17$	32-40	brown	8	12
The animal at the foot of Mercury is wanting from defective- ness of the example.	9–10	40	red	1	13
	12	38	brown	1	14
C.I.L. gives a point after the first L.	10-12	43	brown	1	15
Marini gives the reading incorrectly. Only one palm-leaf seen in example from defectiveness.	11-12	25	brown	1	16
In the first line $AVGVST \cdot N$ should stand after DOM. A note in <i>C.I.L.</i> states that this stamp seems to belong to the time of Commodus, but may also belong to the beginning of the reign of Severus.	10	28	brown	1	17
A distinct point after <b>PRÆD</b> in the examples. This is not given in <i>C.I.L.</i> or <i>Marini</i> .	12-13	37.40	red. brown	2	18
	10-11				

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Lisi No.	SHAPE	I FUTTUS STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	<i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
19	$\hat{\mathbf{C}}$	OP • D • EX • PR • aug • n • tl • domiti ANAS • Maiores • In centre [a pine-cone]		163	177 <sup>3</sup>
20	0	OP DOL·EXR AVG N FIGhn (sic) DOMITIANA MAIOR In centre, a pine cone, pointing about 15 <sup>-</sup> to the left of the vertical		164	174 <sup>2</sup>
21	$\hat{\bigcirc}$	EX FIG DOM MAIO DOMINOR $\overline{N}\overline{N}$ In centre, a dolphin coiled about a trident		165	<b>2</b> 49 <sup>2</sup>
.).)	$\odot$	OPVS DOLIARE EX FIGLINIS DOMITIAN MAIORBVS In centre. 1 a palm-leaf inverted		168 5 noted	800 <sup>1</sup>
23	E	ex · pr · domitiae lucillae eX · FIG · DOMIT MINOR1b op · dol · AELI · ALE Iu centre. XANDRI	ca. 138	171	72
24	9	O DOL·EX· $pr \cdot d$ $p \cdot f$ luc· $p \cdot a \cdot alex$ N1Gro $et \cdot camer$ In centre, $cos$	138	172	494
25	Ő	op doL EX praED AVG N · Flg1 doMITIANAS MINOr · In centre, head of sun with rays [and cap?], turned to the right. Before it a flagellum	Severus	178	178
26	Ö	opuS • DOLIAR • EX • pracd • dd nn • ex fig DOMITianis minor In centre [a scorpion with its tail turned toward the left]		180	250 <sup>3</sup>
27	$\bigcirc$	OPV·DOL·DE PRAED DOM $\overline{N}$ AVG EX FIG·VET CAEC AMANDAE In centre, a standing woman, looking to the left, and holding in her left hand a cornucopia, in her right a palm-leaf	Severus	192	222

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	CoLor	No. Fotxp	List No.
The centre is wanting in example from defectiveness. A note in $C.I.L.$ XV, 1, p. 54, states that the AVG N of this and the following inscription seems (on account of the shape of the letters and of the whole stamp) to be rather Severus than Commodus.	14	38	brown	1	19
The <b>N</b> after <b>AVG</b> is obliterated in the block. Regarding the other unusual letters in line 1, cf. note, <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 55, or <i>Marini</i> , p. 82. For date see remarks under No. 19 above. Noted also in <i>Nuovo Bull. di Archa ol. Crist.</i> VII (1901), p. 156, No. 44.	13-14 10-11	27, 36	brown, buff	2	20
C.I.L. states (XV, 1, p. 55) that this stamp is certainly not of later date than the beginning of the time of Severus. Trident inverted. — One example almost complete.	12–13 <u>1</u>	28-30	brown, red	-1	<u>-2</u> 1
C.I.L. states that it is doubtful whether this stamp is of the time of Marcus (Aurelius) or of Commodus.	ca. 10 ca 9	: <u>}-</u> 2	buff	1	<u>.).)</u>
<b>XANDRI</b> around the palm-leaf in a circle. The figure of this stamp in the American Journal of Archaeology, 2d Ser., V (1901), Suppl., p. 176, apparently taken from Descemet, $op, cit$ , title-page, or from Cagnat, $op, cit$ , p. 311, does not quite agree with these examples and $C, I, L, -$ Moreover, while $C, I, L$ , gives <b>MINORIB</b> . Marini has <b>MINORIB</b> .	$11-12 \\ 11 \\ 11-12$	26, 37	brown	2	20
Two concentric circles within the first line. Whether there are any within the second line could not be seen.	$11\frac{1}{2}-12$	3.5	brown	1	24
	$\frac{10\frac{1}{2}-11\frac{1}{2}}{10\frac{1}{2}-11}$	·)·)	brown	1	25
The tigure in the centre is wanting from defectiveness, Marini gives the reading incorrectly. $C.I.L.$ states that on account of the form of both stamp and letters this stamp belongs to the first years of Severus.	9–10 8–9	27	red	1	26
	12-14	25-33	brown	6	27

LIST No.	Shape	LETTERS STAMP DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
25	3	ex pre-tav-opus-dOLIARE A calpetani VERNA	221, a	118 1
		In centre, a palm-leaf. Unsymmetrically placed		
29	C	EX F FVr $q \cdot aburni \cdot cw$ DICIAN ASIAtico $\overrightarrow{II}$ aQVIL 125 In centre, COS	228	
30	$\bigcirc$	OP DOL EX PR DOM AVG N F1 GLINAS GEnianaS · beginning Centre doubtful of Severus	237, a or b	15
31	~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	<ul> <li>1 laNl • FEsti</li> <li>Centre doubtful</li> <li>[A Victory, turned to the right, holding a crown; a Severus basket? or altar, before her. C.I.L.]</li> </ul>	239 4 noted	
32	0	op dol ex pr $C \cdot FVL \cdot PLaut$ pr pr c v c os II figl GENIAn l · la fe f 203-205 Centre missing [a lion running to the right]	240 2 noted	892 <sup>2</sup>
);)	Ĵ	O DOL·EX·FIG.GENIANIANIS $(sic)$ CEION.CRESC·FEC In centre, $\Psi$ a trident Hadrian	243 4 noted	
34	Ð	GLAB $\mathbf{E}$ $torq \cdot cos \cdot cx \cdot p \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{CL} \cdot \mathbf{MAX}$ ISiaCA124In centre, a sistrum124	<b>249</b> 5 noted	
).)		EX • PR • CLAVDI • MAXIMI AB ISIS & ca. 123-135 Centre blank	252	734
36		OPVS doliare ex figu/INIS IVILI NIANIS acliÆ SEVERÆ L C end 2d or In the centre, Fortune turned to the left, holding in her left hand a cornucopia, in her right a rudder 3d cent. [before her, a wreath; behind her, a palm-leaf]	256	946 <sup>3</sup>

REMARKS	Iteight of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
Marini gives the reading incorrectly. According to $C.I.L.$ this stamp may be of the time of Faustina.	$\frac{ca.\ 10\frac{1}{2}}{ca.\ 10}$	31	brown	1	28
	cu. 14		brown	1	- 29
Example shows no point after <b>GENIANAS</b> . The centre is so defective that the figure cannot be clearly seen; but it seems to be a helmeted bust (of Minerva?) turned to the right, in front of which is a spear ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ). Orbienlus wanting.	13–14 11	34	brown	1	30
This fragment has a triangular point: therefore, if the text of No. 239, C.I.L., is correctly represented, this fragment is either a variant of it, or belongs to some other stamp, per- haps the one recorded at the same place in note 3 thus: LITRANIFESTI. Letters rather large.	17-18	39	brown	1	31
C.I.L. has no points in line 1. Within each line two con- centric circles. The two examples of $C.I.L.$ are in Bologna.	1112-12	36	brown	1	- 32
<b>GENIANIANIS</b> surely stands for <b>GENIANIS</b> , <i>C.I.L.</i> — We did not observe that the <b>A</b> 's have the unusual shape noted in <i>C.I.L.</i> Two of the points are on a lower level than the others. The point after <b>CRESC</b> is between the ends of the <b>C</b> .		35, 38	 buff	.)	33
This example has in line I a final $X$ not in <i>C.I.L.</i> , whose record is defective at that point.	9–10	35	brown- red	1	34
Marini gives no points at all, and $C.I.L$ , none after EX. The letters of the second line are decidedly larger than those of the first.	11–13 14–15	;;0_=;;S	red	9	35
Marini gives the wrong reading IVLLI.	$18 \\ 12\frac{1}{2}-13$	38	buff	1	36

List No,	SHAPE	LETTERS STAMP	Dате (д.d.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
37	Ü	NICOMACHI DOMIT T In centre, a winged caduceus between tw	93-108	261, a	
38	Ü	q · oppi veRECVNI DOL · D I · do RRON · ET PETINO In centre, COS	$m \cdot \text{LVCILL}$ ( <i>sic</i> ) 123	273	363
39	C	OP · SERVILI · FORVNÆI · MACE T · STATILI • MAXIMI · SE In centre, ∦ a palm-leaf	EVERI <i>ca</i> , 123–138	292	1286
40	Ö	EX · PR · STATILI MAXIMI C CEDOn · FORTVNAT Centre blank		298 4 noted	1308
41	9	Opus + tigl + ex + pr + STA Maximi + F + F In centre, a quadruped, like a roebuck, tur	ca. 123–138	300	1310 <sup>3</sup>
42	9	IMP · cue · tro · aVG Ex · figli · mare · DOLt C · CAL · faVORIS	( <i>suc</i> ) Trajan	313	21
43	Ö	Ex+tig/INIS • MARCIAN C • Ca/PETAN1 faVOR DO <i>liare</i> In centre, a palm-leaf	IS Hadrian	315	678
44	3	c calpetani hERMET • D EX · FI partino tE APRONIAN In centre, cOS		319	336
45	Ċ	DOLIAR PR·C <i>aes n f n</i> ANICET <i>ian</i> l In centre, <b>‡</b> a pahn-leaf	end of Hadrian	322	
46	0	opus dOL EX PRaced augg a marCIAN FIG1 act tell: In centre, a nude man [Hercules?] lool with right hand extended [sacrificing?]; club [above, a garland? to the right, a quiv	X · king to the left, in his left arm a	324	236

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	Lisi No.
The last I is a little shorter than the other letters.	12-13	34, 45	brown	2	37
In line 1 Marini gives <b>DOMIT</b> as another reading.	8-11	10	brown	1	38
	ea. 13 ca. 10	3 <u>-</u>	red	1	39
Within each line two concentric circles.	$11-12 \\ 8-9$	(),) (),) (),) (),) (),) (),) (),) (),)	red 1 brown	5	-10
	12 ca. 10	32	red	1	-11
Lines 2 and 3 are less curved than line 1. Concerning <b>TRO</b> in line 1, cf. C.I.L. XV, 1, p. 95. Some examples, says C.I.L., have <b>IMP</b> (like this one, in which 1 and <b>G</b> of line 1 are 14 mm, high, while the other letters of line 1 are only 11 mm, high). C.I.L. does not note the larger <b>G</b> .	11-14 ea. 12	29	red	1	42
	$\frac{11-12}{10-11}\\\frac{91}{2}$	39-40	buff	2	43
Within each line two concentric eircles.	$\frac{11}{9\frac{1}{2}-10}$	40	buff	1	-1-1
	12–13 10–11	28	brown	1	4.7
The figure in the centre is very indistinct from defectiveness. $C.I.L.$ states that this stamp is rather of the beginning of the time of Severus, than of the time of Commodus.	ea. 12	32	red	1	-10

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List No.	SHAPE	Letters STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
47	3	VERO II COS naev lupi Centre blauk	121	344 4 noted	
48	Y	aVIOLA COS NAev In centre, LVPI	122	345 3 noted	307 1
49	S	dol EX PRAED CAES N C aquili aprilis PÆTINO ET APROniano In centre, O O	123	359	322 419, a²
<u>5</u> 0	Ċ	$\begin{array}{l} EX \cdot OFiC \cdot OP \cdot DOL \cdot EX \cdot PR \cdot CAES \cdot \mathbf{\bar{N}} \\ Q \cdot OPP1 \cdot PROCVL1 \\ \\ \text{In centre, a pine-cone surrounded by leaves} \end{array}$	(sic) Hadrian	364	269, a
51	9	ex · pr cAES · OP · DOL · Q · P · P ⊯ TORQ E · IVL COS Centre blank	148	369	506 <sup>2</sup>
52	0	op · dol · ex · prAED AVg n fig oceanaS · MAiores (sic) In centre, a wheel of eight spokes	Severus	371, a	185 1
53	Ő	op · dol ex · prac <b>D · AVG N</b> tig oceanas mAlOres In centre [a wheel of six spokes]	Severus	371, b	<b>185</b> <sup>1</sup>
54	Ö	l bruttjdi augVSTAIS FEG Op do (sic) ex fig og m CÆ N Pæt (sic) In centre, cos	123	373	422 <sup>2</sup>
55	Ö	L • BRVTTIDI • AVgustalis • fee ♥ OPVS DOL • EX • fie caes • n (sie) • PROP ♥ E AMbl In centre, COS	126	375	446 <sup>1</sup>
56	Ö	$EX \cdot P \cdot ClauD1 \cdot CELS1$ $AP \cdot ET \cdot PAE \cdot COS$ Centre blank	123	<b>393</b> 5 noted	338
<b>5</b> 7	9	GLABRIONE E TOrquato cos? EX FIGL CL celsi? Centre blauk?	124		

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM	AVERAGE Thickness MM.	Corok	No. Found	List No.
C.I.L. records a specimen having LVP1.	12	30	brown	1	47
The second line is straight. Marini wrongly gives $NAEV$ .	11-12 11-12	$\frac{26, 29}{32}$	red or brown	*) *)	48
C.I.L. and Marini give COS in a straight line.	$12 \\ 121 \\ 222$	45	brown	1	49
Within each line two concentric circles. Concerning the place of $\mathbf{EX} \cdot \mathbf{OFIC}$ see note in <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1, p. 108. They should stand at the <i>end</i> of line 1. — The point after OFIC is between the ends of the C. <i>C.I.L.</i> places the point after OP on a level with the others, and gives a special A in CAES.	$\frac{11-13}{10-11\frac{1}{2}}$	27-36	brown or red	ī	50
Within each line two concentric circles. At the end of line 1 sometimes a small leaf $(C,I,L,)$ ; the last point in line 1 stands low.	$\frac{11\frac{1}{2}-12}{11-11\frac{1}{2}}$	34	brown or buff	.)	51
Example has only 2 of the spokes; but their angle, 45 <sup>+</sup> , shows that there must be 8. MAIORES with a small O. <i>Marini</i> , stamp No. 176 is this one wrongly recorded (Dressel).	$10-12^{-1}$	31	brown	1	52
Centre of example wanting from defectiveness. A clear point after <i>pracD</i> , placed high, and a large O in MAIORES distinguish this stamp from the preceding one.	cd. $12\frac{1}{2}$	23	brown	1	53
<i>C.I.L.</i> has <b>Do</b> , and a dash over the $\overline{\mathbf{N}}$ . — The brick has a uniformly varying thickness: it is slightly wedge-shaped.	ea. 12 ea. 11	82-84	brown	1	54
Marini gives no punctuation-marks, and has FIG in line 2. In some specimens, perhaps, AVCVSTALIS in line 1. (C.I.L.)	va. 13 va. 10 ea. 10 7-9	37	red	1	.).)
Within each line two concentric circles.	11 9½-11	40	red	1	56
Compare C.I.L. No. 395, and Marini, No. $427^{2}$ . — In the centre no letters or figure distinctly visible. PLATE II, 4.	8-9	30 30	brown	 1	57

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List No.	SHAPE	LETTERS STAMP (A.D.		Marin No,
58	C	OPVS DOL·EX·PR· <i>fau</i> S Aug ex fig PONT LAN FESTVS jur In centre, an oblique palm-tree	1	122 <sup>2</sup>
 59	9	EX PR AVRELI CAES ET FAVSTIN AVC (si OPVS DOL EX FICL PONTI (sie)	•) 401	123 1
60	ð	OP DOL EX PRaed aug n FIG LIN PONTIclanaS In centre, fragment of a figure [star or sun between horns of crescent moon]	404 us	188
61	Õ	OP DOL EX PR M AVRELI ANTO NINI AVG N PORT LIC In centre, a Victory, turned to the left, holding in her left hand a palm-leaf, in her raised right a crown. Before her an altar (or vase?)	408, d	109
62	Ö	NEGOT · MEtilio proCVLO FIGul · zos an         EX · FIG · propetlaniS ·         about         In centre [apparently a bull running to the right]		1053
63	0	$c \cdot x \cdot pr AEdis heredum \cdot C \cdot C VV PASSeni (sic)ac petroniae \cdot neg \cdot vaL \cdot CATVLlo \cdot aboveIn centre, c surrounded Commonby a crescent moon and five stars (C.I.L.)$		1111
64	C	EX · PR · FLAVI · APRI FIG · PVBLIL OP · RVSTI FELIC In centre [a disk or sphere] 2d ce	e of	871
65	٩	IMP · M · aur · antonin · aug · oPVS DOLI AR · EX · figul · pVBL1L1A · In centre [a boar (or a stag, C.I.L. 421, b) running to the right]	424, a or b	108 1
66		OP · DOL · EX FIGL · PVBLILIANIS PR & MILIAE · SEVERAE C F In centre, Mercury with cap?, looking back toward the left, holding in his left hand a cornucopia, in his out- stretched right a money-bag: before his feet a tortoise		

REMARKS	HEIGHT OF LETTERS MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
The palm-tree is inverted; its root-end points about $45^{\circ}$ to the left from the vertical. O slightly smaller in <b>PONT</b> .	$\frac{12}{9-10}$	33	brown	1	58
For proposed interpretations of <b>LFP</b> , see note, <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 119. Not accurately recorded by <i>Marini</i> .	$7-11\\9-9\frac{1}{2}\\11$	30-35	red, buff, or brown	5	-59
In some examples there seems to be no dash over the N. $(C.I.L.)$	$\begin{array}{c} 11 - 13 \\ 11 \end{array}$	33, 39	brown or buff	2	60
One of the specimens, which is rather imperfect, might equally well be $C.I.L.$ 408, $a, b, c, \text{ or } \epsilon$ . Regarding the Portus Lieini, cf. <i>Marini</i> , pp. 55, 56 and <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 37. The date is discussed in <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 121.	11-13 9-12	29-45	brown or red	6	61
Within each line two concentric circles. Punctuation almost like that given by $Marini$ , but $C.I.L$ , has no point after NEGOT and after PROPETIANIS. The figure in the centre is wanting from defectiveness. — One brick is wedge-shaped.	va. 12 va. 12	24 and 25–37	brown or buff	2	62
Two stars and the letter $\mathbf{F}$ , also a part of the crescent, are wanting in the examples from defectiveness. There is a dis- tinct point after the first $\mathbf{C}$ , not noted in <i>C.I.L.</i> The O in <b>CATVLLO</b> is small. <b>C</b> ( <i>larissimae</i> ) <b>F</b> ( <i>cminae</i> ) are placed in a horizontal line by <i>C.I.L.</i>	${\begin{array}{c} 11-18\frac{1}{2}\\ 10\\ 10\\ 10\\ \end{array}}$	23, 31	brown	<u>-2</u>	63
The point after FIG is within the letter $G$ : the point after <b>OP</b> is low. The figure in the centre is wanting from defectiveness. <i>Murini</i> does not indicate points. Two concentric circles within line 1.	9–10 ea. 9	32-36	brown or buff	4	64
The figure in the centre and the punctuation-points are wanting from defectiveness. The stamps $a$ and $b$ differ in both figure and punctuation. The date is doubtful; cf. note, $C.I.L.$ p. 128.	ca. 12	36	brown	1	65
The upper part of the figure is missing in the examples from defectiveness. We did not observe that the $O$ in $OP$ is defective as shown in <i>C.I.L.</i> Within each line two concentric circles.	$     \begin{array}{c}             11-111 \\             8-81 \\             2         \end{array}         $	34	brown	2	66

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List No.	Shape	Letiers	STAMP	Date (a.d.)	€.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No,
67	6		op dol · ex · tig · pub · DE · PR · AEM · Seve neg · iuniaes · antoniaes · In centre [a Victory holding a crown; before her an altar?]. Cf. C.I.L.	end of 2d cent,	430	545 548 <sup>3</sup>
68	S		de quintianis · IMP · TRAI cae · aug gER · DAC	103-117	<b>439</b> 4 noted	
435 <del>)</del>		Impressed	APRON ET PAE COS $\Box$ FESTI·D·Q $\Box$	123	444 3 noted	
70		Impressed	APRON ET PAE COS □ MARTIAL·D·Q □	123	445 3 noted	
71		Impressed	APRON ET PAE COS $\Box$ REStitVT · D · Q $\Box$	123	446	
72		Impressed	APRONETPAECos $\Box$ SVCcsdq $\Box$	123	<b>447</b> 4 noted	
73		Impressed	aprON ET PAE COS □ prlMlTlVl Q □	123	<b>450</b> 3 noted	
74		Impressed	APRON ET PAET COS POMP VIT EX PRO ANNI VERI QVINT	123	454, b	395 <sup>3</sup>
15		Impressed	$ \bigcirc $ ASIAT II et aquil COS d r d	125	458 5 noted	
76		Impressed	ASAT IL C O S	125		
77			EX PR AGAT $AVg \cdot l \cdot q$ ? POMP · l A N V A R pæti ET · A P RO N LA N $o$ cos (Impressed figure)	123	465, b	<b>316</b> <sup>3</sup>
75		Impressed	apron et pAET COS o p P B SALAR o ex fiGL ANNI VERI	123	479, a	318

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
The example is very defective. Punctuation-points and the figure are wanting.	<i>ca</i> , 11	27	brown	1	67
The example lacks the palm-leaf and the punctuation- points from defectiveness. I in IMP is 12 mm, high; the other letters of line 1, so far as preserved, are $10-10\frac{1}{2}$ mm, high.	$\frac{10-12}{ca, 9}$		brown	1	68
We found eight examples of this rare stamp. The points are square.	ea. 14 ca. 14	36-41	buff or brown	8	69
We found ten examples of this rare stamp. The points are square.	12-14 12-14	36-40	brown or buff	10	70
C.I.L. gives <b>TVT</b> as separate letters. Only six examples are noted there. The points are square.	12-13	34-43	brown or buff	6	71
The points are square.	ea. 12 ea. 14	38	buff	1	72
One example shows that the last letter is $\mathbf{Q}: (C.I.L.$ leaves it doubtful.	13–14 13–14	40-42	buff or brown	5	73
Line 2 is wrongly recorded by <i>Marini</i> . — On one brick only under the middle of the stamp at a distance of 23 mm, is a slightly impressed disk, 23 mm, in diameter. PLATE 111, 10, which is inverted by mistake.	са. 13 са. 13 са. 13	34-38	red, buff, or brown	10	74
Near the stamp over H is a slightly impressed disk, 31 mm. in diameter.	ea. 11 <u>1</u>	37	red	1	7ð
Perhaps C.I.L. 458 (possibly also C.I.L. 596) misspelled. PLATE IX, 7.	ca. 13	:}()	brown	1	76
Under the middle of the legend is an impressed figure close to the letters. PLATE III, 12, which is inverted by mistake. The brick has a uniformly varying thickness : it is slightly wedge-shaped.	$8-10 \\ 8-10 \\ 8-10$	34-37	red	red 1	
	ca. 14 ca. 14 ca. 14	38	buff	1	78

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List No.	Shape	Letters	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
79		Impressed	$ \begin{array}{c} & & \\ & & \\ & \\ & \\ & \\ & \\ & \\ & \\ & $	123	487, b or c	381 381, a <sup>2</sup>
80		Impressed	aPR·ET·PAE·C a·g·S·S D·F·1·F	123	491 1 noted	
81		Impressed	apret pAE·C agssdF·1·S	123		
82	· · · · · ·	Impressed	A'GAB'SVC'sal·d c?	ca. 123–134	495?	554?
83		Impressed	a gab⋅suC・SAL	ca. 123-134		
84		Impressed	a gab sVC SAL	ca. 123-134		
85		1mpressed	APR ET PAct $cos \cdot p p b$ SALAR EX $tig g t t t \bullet$	123	500, a	
86		Impressed	marcell et CELS II COS ex pr · ulp · ulPIAN SAL	129	507, b	45 <b>7</b> 1
87		Impressed	PR	ca, 129		
88		Impressed	SERVIAno III cos SAL EX PR I e iuven	134	515, a	478
89		1mpressed	SAL: EX PR tre.	Hadrian	525, c	
90		Impressed	eX F DOMIT DOM SVLP PAETIN ET APRON COS	123	549, a	368 <sup>3</sup>
- 91		Impressed	eX F DOMIT DOm sulp paET ET APRon cos	123	549, b	368 <sup>3</sup>

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	COLOR	No. Found	List No.
Over the middle of the inscription, touching the block- outline, is a slightly impressed disk of 31 mm. diameter with a small round hole of 6 mm. diameter in the centre.	ca. 14	37	buff	1	79
The sole example recorded in $C.I.L.$ was found on the Palatine Hill and is deposited in the Museo Nazionale delle Terme at Rome. ( $C.I.L.$ )	ca. 15	38	brown	1	80
Not recorded in <i>C.I.L.</i> Compare with its numbers 490–494. Between the ends of the lines at the right and the outline of the block there is a blank space. 18 mm. wide.	$\frac{14-14\frac{1}{2}}{14-14\frac{1}{2}}$	34	brown or red	3	81
In both examples the point after $A$ is placed high. <i>C.I.L.</i> has it at the middle of the letters, which are unusually tall and slender.—These fragments might belong to List No. 83.	ea. 21	37, 42	buff or brown	2	82
The letters are unusually tall and slender. This stamp is, therefore, a variant of <i>C.I.L.</i> 496 ( <i>Marini</i> , 555).	ca. 20	38	brown	1	83
The letters are about 5 mm. taller than in No. 83, of which this stamp is probably a variant. Cf. C.I.L. 496 (Marini, 555). There is no point after SVC.	ea. 25	40	red	2	84
The meaning of <b>GTTT</b> is not known.	ca. 15	40	brown	1	85
In line 2 Marini recorded VLPIANIS • AL. Some examples of this stamp seem to have VLPIANI and SAI. (C.I.L.)	<i>ea</i> . 13	34	brown	1	86
No stamp with this combination of letters seems to be recorded in <i>C.I.L.</i> Compare its Nos. 504–509.	<i>ea</i> , 14	37	red	1	87
	ea. 15 ea. 14	35	red	1	88
Two short dashes or dots after $SAL$ , perhaps punctuation- marks. As there is no mention of such in $C.I.L.$ , this stamp may be a variant. The letters are unusually large.		37	brown	1	89
	$ea.12{1\over 2}$ 14–15	35-36	brown or red	2	. 90
	ea. 13	32	red	1	- 91

LIST No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
92	3		SEVERO et errian cos ex FIGL Dom domit	ca. 120– 124 ?	552	304
93		Impressed	paet et APR COS ex fig el 11B SVL	123	559, a	404 <sup>2</sup>
94		Impressed	apr ET PAE COS ex f a vil·ALEXS	123	560	
95	$\overline{\mathbb{C}}$		VILLI Alexandri SVlpices	ca. 123	561 4 noted	
<u>96</u>		Impressed	© SERVIANO 111 COS (sir) EX F VIL AVG SVLPIC	134	562	482
97		Impressed	paetin et apRONIA m vinic paNTAG SVLP	123	563, a or b	414 <sup>1</sup>
98		Impressed	PAETIN ET apronia M VINIC PAmag sul(p)	123	563, b-f, i, k	414 <sup>1</sup> or 415 <sup>1</sup>
99		Impressed	pactin et aproni(a) m vinic pANTAG SVL	123	563, i or k	<b>414</b> <sup>1</sup>
100		Impressed	viN PAN Sal	ca. 123	565, a, e, g, k, or n?	1396 <sup>3</sup>
	9		EX·OFIC·CAEsaris n OP·SVPICIA	Hadrian	568	
102			SVLPICIA acli · SILVA	apparently Hadrian	570	1314 1
103		Impressed	SVL · ANIN CA · L · F (sic)	about Hadrian	571 4 noted	
104		Deeply Impressed	SVL·ANIN	about Hadrian	<b>572</b> 2 noted	

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
Marini records a stamp with ARRIANO. Cf. C.I.L. p. 162.	$13-14 \\ 11-12$	42	brown	1	11 <u>-1</u>
Line 2 is wrongly recorded by Marini.	14–15	37-38	brown	2	9:
As points are absent, this fragment represents the variant noted in $C.I.L.$ 560, 1–3, and 5, which has ALEXS at the end of line 2.	14-16	37	red	1	.94
	ca. 10	23		1	95
One example has III instead of 111, and this variant has also over the inscription a slightly impressed disk about 20 mm, in diameter with a hole in the centre. <i>Marini</i> gives III in line 1, and a similar figure with Nos. 383, 396, and 462.	15-17 ca. 15	31-37	brown or red	×	96
C.J.L. notes six examples of 563, $a$ , and a few of 563, $b$ . One of the latter may have <b>APRO</b> and <b>SVL</b> .	ea. 15	37	brown	1	97
This example may be any one of seven variants under $C.I.L.$ 563.	<i>ca.</i> 16	35	brown	1	98
This fragment might also belong to $C.I.L.$ 563, $b$ , 5, if that stamp is correctly reported.	15	32	brown	1	95
The letters are unusually tall and slender. We observed only the single line of letters noted. Our example agrees in that respect with <i>Marini's</i> No. 1396 <sup>3</sup> .	25-28	32	brown	1	100
The second dot in line 1 is within the C. There may be a variant of this stamp with SVLPICIA in line 2. Within each line two concentric circles.	$14 \\ 11\frac{1}{2}-12$	32	red	1	101
We did not observe that the A in SILVA has the un- usual form given in $C.I.L$ .	10-11	30	brown	1	10:
A round dot and a square dot in line 2, as noted in $C.I.L.$ Compare Marini, No. 14024. The meaning of the stamp is doubtful. — One brick is slightly wedge-shaped.	15-16	32–3 <b>5</b> 39	brown or red	<u>.)</u>	10:
The present example is a perfect specimen of this rare stamp.	12-14	38-40	brown or red	+	104

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Lisi No.	SHAPE	Letters	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
105	I J	Impressed	figL CAEC QVINT ⊯ t FL ROMANI SVLP	Hadrian	576, b	
106		Impressed	TI CLA BLA SVL	Hadrian	578, a	
107		Impressed	cl heR SVLP	Iladrian	580, c? I noted	
108		Impressed	SVI	Hadrian	<b>582, b ?</b> 5 noted	
109	4	Impressed	OZ. <i>1ns</i>	Hadrian	582, b?	
110		Impressed	ZO SVL	Hadrian		
 111		Impressed	COS AMB SVL	Hadrian	583, b	762 1
112	_	Impressed	C CVL DIA SVI or ul	Hadrian	585, b, c, or d	776 1
113		Impressed	C VILLI CRES SV	Hadrian	593	1392 * 1393 *
114		Impressed	VIN SAL SVL	about Hadrian	595, ъ	$1402^{5}$ 1416 <sup>1</sup>
115		Impressed	PHIL Sul	about Hadrian	597	1120 1
116		Impressed	ruFI SVL	abont Hadrian	599, с	1167 -

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
The known impressions of this stamp seem to have been made with different blocks. $(C.I.L.)$	15-17	33-38	brown or buff	5	105
The letters are unusually tall and slender. In one of the examples the $V$ of the inscription has this shape: $N$ .	30-33	34-39	brown	3	106
The letters are unusually large. See note in <i>C.I.L.</i> of an apparently similar stamp, based on a manuscript: Visconti cod. Paris. Lat. 9697, f. 49. traditur: videtur fuisse: CLHERSVIE CL HER SVLP	ca. 20	41	brown	1	107
The letters are unusually large, clumsy and ill-made. As $C.I.L.$ does not mention these facts, this fragment may be a variant of the stamp there noted.	ea. 20	38, 40	red or brown	2	108
The letters are decidedly larger than in the preceding stamp. No. 108. If that is $C.I.L$ . No. 582, b, this stamp would be a variant of it.	25-30	37	brown	1	109
The letters are unusually large. Between O and S there may be a point. The fragment 3 recorded under $C.I.L.$ 582, b may belong to this stamp, but in that case it is printed upside down. PLATE II, 14.	26-29	32	brown	1	110
The letters are unusually large. There are several Var. 1 distinct variants of this stamp differing in the size and shape of them. It is wrongly recorded by Marini. Var. 3	ea. 20 ea. 23 ca. 26	36-38 36-40 36-37	brown buff, red, or brown red	$\frac{4}{7}$	111
The letters are unusually large.	32-33	35-36	red or brown	2	112
The letters are unusually large. Incorrectly recorded by Marini.	25-27	35-37	brown	-1	118
The letters are unusually large. Incorrectly recorded by Marini.	27-29	36-39	brown or buff	4	114
The letters are unusually large. Incorrectly recorded by <i>Marini</i> . Only seven examples noted in <i>C.I.L</i> .	ea. 28	40	red	1	115
The letters are unusually large. Not a common stamp. In some examples the letter $R$ , being bally made, looks like $P(C.I.L.)$ ; <i>Marini</i> , therefore, noted $PVFI$ .	21-22 <u>1</u>	40	buff	1	116

List No.	SHAPE	Letters STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	С.I.L. XV, 1 No.	MARINI No.
117	3	EX FC EMPESN'S ARVN' CÆDICIAI P S PÆTIN E APRONAI	F	604, c 2 noted	314 1
		In centre, SOO	123		
115	9	ex pr lucillae veri tīgVLINIS terentian opV L·S·F·		617	101
		In centre,	ca. 145–155		
119	Ő	OP DOL EX PR <i>aug n t</i> IG TERE NT L AELIO <i>ph</i> IDELE In centre, an eagle with spread wings, looking to the left and seen from the front	Severus	625	194 196 <sup>2</sup>
120	$\bigcirc$	op dol ex pr aug n FIG TERENT L aeli II seeVND E APRIL		626	195 <sup>1</sup>
		In centre, an inverted vase [flowers issue from it] on each side, an creet panther touching the flower with a forefoot [and seeming to lick them]			
121	C	$e_{i}$ teg $\cdot$ tun $\cdot$ dol $\cdot$ cutye $HVS \cdot SE \cdot$ iuliae $\cdot$ procul $\mathcal{R}$	ca. 123	647	940 <sup>2</sup>
		In centre, a palm-leaf			
122	2	TONNElana · de figlin Viccianis	about	657, b? 3 noted	
			middle of 1st cent.		
123	2	TONNEl · de · figlin Viccianis	about middle of 1st cent.	659, c	
124		VICCIana - d tigl tonn (sie) EI Apolinaris In centre [a bucranium or a head of a calf on its side	about middle of 1st cent.	661, a 4 noted	8661
_ 125		Impressed frucDVNOM	Hadrian	682 4 noted	

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	COLOR	No. Found	List No.
The record in <i>C.I.L.</i> is based on two fragments, one of which is in the Museum at Naples, No. 2165 (?), 5680. Our example is complete, although not well preserved; compare the reduced fac-simile on p. 5. Incorrectly recorded by <i>Marini</i> . Regarding $P(S(creilius)   F(irmous))$ see the interesting note under <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 232.	$\begin{array}{c} 111 - 12 \\ 101 - 12 \\ 11 - 12 \\ 11 - 12 \end{array}$	38	red .	1	117
C.I.L. gives no point after F. Marini gives no punctua- tion-points at all. He states (p. 368) that $L \otimes F$ may be $L \otimes (ervilius) \otimes F(ortunatus).$	ea. 11	36	brown	1	118
The eagle's feet are over the orbiculus. Within each line two concentric circles.	11–12 9–10	26-37	brown or red	6	119
The cusps of the crescent are obtuse, which is unusual: they are not so noted in $C.I.L$ . Perhaps this stamp is a variant.	10-11 $10-12$	24-33	brown	3	120
Marini wrongly records an upright palm-leaf in the centre.	<i>ca</i> . 14	40	brown	1	121
VICCIAIS in a straight horizontal line (as the stamp is here placed) across the centre and surrounded by line 1. The O is smaller, only 13 mm. high. <i>C.I.L.</i> may not have re- corded this stamp and the following one (List No. 123) con- sistently; hence our change in notation. Cf. <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1, pp. 193 and 194.	ea. 16 smaller	25	buff	1	122
The O is even here a little smaller than the neighboring letters, being 15 mm, high. VICCIAIS is placed as in the preceding stamp.	ea. 17 smaller	28	brown	1	123
The <b>O</b> in <b>TONN</b> is smaller than the adjoining letters. Wrongly recorded by <i>Marini</i> .	ea. 14 ea. 9	29	brown	1	124
As $C.I.L.$ does not state that the letters are unusually large, this stamp may be a variant not recorded by it.	23-24	40	buff	1	125

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List No.	SHAPE	Letters STAMP	Date (a.d.)	('.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
<b>1</b> 26	Ő	$VLIVS FELix \cdot de VIA SALARIA EX P \cdot IVN \cdot R \cdot ET \cdot R \cdot CAP$ Centre blank	Hadrian	683	947 *
127	Ü	OP·DOL·EX·FIGLIN·CAES N C·CALP·MNEST	138?	708, a	271 <sup>2</sup>
128	O	OPVS DOLIARE ex · praced faVS AVG N CALVI CresCEN In centre, a nude crowned boy or man, inverted, looking to the right, standing on a globe	Faustina junior ?	726	115 <sup>s</sup>
129	0	OP DOL EX PR Vmi · quad ct aN FAS EX Fl sex ap silV In centre, a bust of Mercury with petasus, turned to the right; in front of him, a purse [behind him, the caduceus]	about middle of 2d cent.	731, b	131 <sup>3</sup>
130	0	ex praced m aurel ANTOnini COmm ex of suceS (sic) In centre,	'ommodus ?	741	111 <sup>1</sup> 1448
131	Ö	OPVS DOharf fx præDIS AVG N (sic C COMini sariNIANI (sic) In centre, a pine-cone for between two palm-	)	754, b	169 <sup>3</sup>
132	9	EX pracedis aug noS·EX F Pompei·hEL1 In centre [three palm-leaves]		757	187 <sup>2</sup>
133	0	$ex \cdot prAE \cdot AVG \cdot SES \cdot PON \cdot eli$ (sie) In centre, three $\frac{1}{2}$ palm-leaves		758	
134	Ő	OPVS DOLIARE EX PREDIS $\overline{D}$ $\overline{N}$ In centre, a lion running to the right	about Commodus ?	760, a	204
135	9	$\mathbf{D}$ omini · <u>n</u> t · AVG	Commodus ? or beginning of Severus ?	762, a	214 <sup>3</sup>

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	
Line 2 is wrongly recorded by <i>Marini</i> , who also omitted the point in line 1.	12–13 ca. 12	38, 42	red	2	126
Perhaps not quite correctly recorded by Marini.	$10^{1}_{-11}_{10}$	37, 38	buff or red	2	127
Marini records FAV. Within each line two concentric circles. The objects which the figure in the centre holds in its hands are doubtful in our examples: (cf. $C.I.L.$ : in the left a dolphin (?), in the right a spear or a sceptre).	ea. 10 ca. 9	38	brown	2	128
We did not observe that the letter $\mathbf{M}$ in line 1 has the numbral shape given in <i>C.I.L. Marini</i> wrongly records the figure in the centre. <i>M. Ummidius Quadratus</i> was consul in 167 A.D.; <i>Annia Cornificia Faustina</i> , a sister of Marcus Aure- hus, was his wife ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ).	10–12 ca. 10	22	brown	1	129
A small O in OF. For remarks on the order of line 2 (which might be EX OF SVCES COMM), and the date, cf. note in $C.I.L.$ p. 219 and p. 204.	14–15	35	brown	1	130
On account of the inscription, $C.I.L.$ considers this stamp to be of a date not later than about the time of the emperor Marcus (Aurelius).	$11\frac{1}{2}$ -13	27-33	red or buff	-1	131
On account of the inscription and shape, this stamp is probably of about the time of Marcus (Aurelius). The first palm-leaf in the centre is upright; the other two are inverted ( $C.I.L.$ ). Line 2 is incorrectly recorded by <i>Marini</i> .	ca. 11	34	red	1	132
The point after $AVG$ is low. A small I at the end of line 1. <i>C.I.L.</i> gives horizontal pahn-leaves. Surrounding the inscription a single circle, inside of it two concentric circles. <i>C.I.L.</i> considers this stamp (of which it notes only six examples) to be of the time of the emperor Marcus (Aurelius).	121-13	34	red	1	138
C.I.L. and Marini give no dashes over $D$ and $N$ , though Marini notes $DOM \overline{N}$ as another reading. This stamp hence appears to be a variant of C.I.L. 760, a.	11-15	25	brown or buff	2	134
The figure is wanting from defectiveness. <i>Marini</i> gives $\overline{\mathbf{N}}$ in line 2.	ea. 13 11–12	35	buff	1	13

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List No.	SHAPE	Letters	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
1:31;	Ċ		OPVS DOLIARe eX PRE DOmini · ū auG · In centre [figure of a boar running to left]	Severus ?	762, в	213 - ?
137			ex praedis doMINI NO Stri augVSTI In centre, fragment of a bird. (See note in Remarks)	Commodus ? or beginning of Severus ?	764	215
138	$\bigcirc$		opus dollARE·EX PREDIS AuguSTORVM NN In centre, a winged caduceus	about Commodus ?	766 4 noted	225 <sup>2</sup>
139	3		<ul> <li>de praEDIs · DomINORVM · nosTROR · AVGG</li> <li>In centre, an inverted bust of Minerva or Rome? heImeted, looking to the right; in front of it a spear</li> </ul>	Commodus ? or beginning of Severus ?	773	253 <sup>1</sup>
140	Ő		op · dol ex pr dOM ÑÑ AVGg titiaes RVF1NAes In centre, a lizard	beginning of Severus	774	254
	9		EX PRAEDIS M·AEMILI PROCVLI C 1 o	ca. 136–137 ?	780, a 2 noted	553 <sup>+</sup>
142	9		ex pracDIS M AEMILI proCLI In centre, $o \ddagger d$	ca. 136–137 ?	78 <b>0</b> , b	553 *
143			SEX · ANNI APRODISI	1st cent.	795, a	581 <sup>1</sup>
1 † †	3		M FABI LICYMNI EX P AN ver APR · et paetin In centre, cos	123	800 1 noted	
145		1mpressed	apRO ET PAE COS m fab LICYMNI	123	801	374 <sup>1</sup>

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM,	Color	Νο. Γουνσ	List No.
The figure is wanting from defectiveness. The stamp re- corded by <i>Marini</i> has <b>PR</b> and <b>N</b> , and may, therefore, not be identical with this one.— Note the varying thickness of the brick : it is slightly wedge-shaped.	11-12	31–20 at inse.	brown	1	136
C.I.L. records an eagle with spread wings, seen from the front, looking to the left, holding in his beak a crown. Whether or not he is seated on some object is not known.	15 13–14	3¢	buff	1	137
These AVCVSTI may be the emperor and his consort: they are not necessarily two emperors. ( <i>Marini</i> , p. 95, quoted in $C.I.L.$ )	ea. 13 ca. 11 <u>1</u>	39	brown	1	138
The points visible on this imperfect example of the stamp are triangular. <i>Marini</i> , No. 253, has <b>PRAEDHS</b> and <b>NOSTRORVM</b> . See Remarks under No. 138.	ea. 13 ea. 12	27	brown	1	139
See Remarks under No. 135.	$11-12 \\ 9-101 \\ 2$	40	red	1	140
In the centre of the example a fragment of the <b>O</b> is visible beside the palm-leaf which <i>Marini</i> recorded as upright. One example of this rare stamp is in the Ashmolean Museum at Oxford ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ). Regarding the date, cf. <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 229.	12-13 11-12	26, 30	red	2	141
We did not observe in our example the unusual shape of the A's in line 1 as noted in $C.I.L$ . The latter gives in the centre an upright palm-leaf with <b>O</b> and <b>D</b> respectively to the left and right of it. Regarding the date, cf. $C.I.L$ , p. 229.	ca. 14 ca. 12	29	brown	1	142
The record of <i>Marini</i> is incomplete. Also noted in <i>Nuovo</i> Bull. di Archeol. Crist. II (1896), p. 62, No. 30.	ea. 17	42	brown	1	143
The sole example noted in $C.I.L.$ is now in the Museum at Vienna (Sign. $n. 11 = 194$ , coll. Ambras).	12–13 ea. 11	37, 40	brown	2	144
Marini gives line 2 incorrectly.	15-16	33-37	buff or brown	3	145

LIST SHAP. No.	f Lettens	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	С.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
146	]	L·ANTONIVS SVMFILON (sic)		821, a	593 <sup>3</sup>
	Small and impressed		Hadrian ?		
147	Impressed	SEXANV <i>fiub</i> ?	Hadrian ?	823	
148	Impressed	apron et PAE COS	123	827 2 noted	351, b <sup>1</sup>
149 🕑		$c \cdot nun N  FORt  PRIM$ In centre, two letters $\sim_{initial}^{initial}$ surrounded by a collar- like blank band, and two concentric circles	about middle of 2d cent.	862	1083 <sup>3</sup>
150	Impressed	APR ET PAE COS e X f I M P C T H A s	123	893	
151	Impressed	apron et PAE COS	123	898 3 noted	
152	Impressed		123	920 1 noted	
153		ex pr coeLl* PH1Leti facit · mAGNio In centre, 🍦 a palm-leaf	Hadrian	944	747
154		PARIDIS • CN • DOMIT In centre, 1837 inverted, in a straight line parallel to the straight side of the stamp	?–59 See Remarks		

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Fouxd	List No.
Dimensions of frame 50 × 19 mm. PLATE VIII, I2. The figure is upside-down by mistake, because it was not under- stood at the time the photograph was made. <i>C.I.L.</i> gives <b>SYMFILON</b> , but states that in some specimeus the <b>Y</b> hardly differs from <b>V</b> . In our example it looks exactly like <b>V</b> , for which reason we have so recorded it. <i>Marini</i> gives <b>SYMFILON</b> ; also P. Crostarosa, <i>Nuovo Bull. di Archeol.</i> <i>Crist.</i> VII (1901), p. 113, No. 82. This stamp exists in im- pressions made by divers <i>bronze</i> seals ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ).	ea. 7 ea. 7	25	brown	1	140
The letters are unusually large. PLATE II, 13.	20-21	38	brown	1	147
There is space in line 2 for oblongs, but $C.I.L.$ has a hatched square at the beginning. Cf. <i>Marini</i> , No. 351, <i>a</i> , said to have the same figures, and, as No. 351, <i>b</i> .	ea. 14	40	red	1	148
C. Numidius Fortunatus is named also on stamps of 123–112 A.D. The date of the present stamp is based upon the lettering (C.I.L.). The meaning of $PP$ is doubtful.	$ea, 16\frac{1}{2}$	26	brown	1	149
C.I.L. gives a hatched I in line 2, and states that this letter is indistinct in all specimens. We did not observe this to be the case in our examples. The interpretation of line 2 is doubtful. Cf. note in $C.I.L.$ p. 252.	14-15	34–36	red or brown	;} •}	150
	<i>ea.</i> 14	35	brown	1	151
The sole example of this stamp recorded in $C.I.L.$ is in the Kircherian Museum at Rome.	$ca. 13\frac{1}{2}$	.).)	brown	1	152
A distinct point in the example after <b>COELI</b> : none is given in $C.I.L.$ or by <i>Marini</i> . Only seven examples are noted in $C.I.L.$	ea. 11 11-12	37	brown	1	153
A doubtful point after CN. PLATE II, 5. (The inscription is partly obscured by mortar, which we could not have removed without injuring the specimen.) Cf. C.J.L. XV, 1; p. 268, table. This stamp probably belongs between C.J.L. Nos. 979 and 986. The stamps of CN DOMITIVS AFER are rare and, since he died in 59 A.D., are among the earliest known. The name of a figulus or officinator PARIS has not yet, to our knowledge, been recorded. Cf. the interesting monograph by Dr. Heinrich Dressel: Untersuchangen über die Chronologie der Ziegelstempel der Geus Domitia, Berlin, G. Reimer, 1886; par- tienlarly pp. 20, 21.	15-17 11-12	52	brown- red	1	1.54

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List No.	SHAPE	Letters STAMP	Dате (а.р.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
155	0	callisT1 DV Domitiorum In centre [Mercury, holding in the left hand the caduceus, in the right a purse, C.I.L. 992, c]	60-93	992	1674?
[56		PRIMCEN duo DOMTIOR · ser · f	60-93	1000, a	1154 <sup>2</sup>
157	Ö	© TROPHIMI AGATHOBVLI ⊯ DOMITI © TVLLI 9: In centre [bust of a man, turned to the left]	6/94-108	1003, b	
เอ้ห	9	EX PR DOMITIAE Lucillae op do (siv)	ca. 120	<b>1018</b> 5 noted	<b>49</b> <sup>1</sup>
59	9	OPVS · FIG · FORTVNATI DOMT . LVCIL In centre [a disk, sun or moon?]	ca, 120	1019, a	51 <sup>3</sup>
60	Ö	op · D · DIONYS DOM <i>it</i> · <i>p</i> · <i>f</i> · <i>lucil</i> PAET • <b>E</b> · AP <i>r</i> · <i>cos</i> In centre [two straight lines, crossed]	123	1029, a	353
61	$\bigcirc$	OP D DORYFIOR domit p f luciLL PAET ET APro-coS	123	1033	358 <sup>1</sup>
62	Ö	$\begin{array}{c} c \ cominI \cdot P \ ROC \ V \ LI \ (sic) \\ cx \cdot prc \cdot dom \cdot LVcil \\ \end{array}$ In centre, a palm-leaf $\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \$	fter 132	1051	58 <sup>2</sup>
63	S	$ex \cdot pr \cdot d \cdot p \cdot f \cdot LVCILLAE \cdot O \cdot dol \cdot tec \cdot m \cdot a pr$ $l \cdot ael \cdot cAES \cdot \overline{\Pi} \cdot P \cdot COel \ balbin$ In centre, $cos$	137	1057	489
64	9	EX·PR D P F LVCILLÆ O DO/ FEC·L·N E T AE/ CAES·II C·brjT·PR	) 139	1061	

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MML	Color	No. For xp	List No.
The example is very defective: its centre is wanting, and the point after <b>DV</b> is doubtful. The fragment therefore might belong to $C.I.L.$ No. 992, $c$ or $d$ .	va. 13	41	brown	1	155
Marini wrongly states that the letters are impressed, and omits the points.	ea. 15	41	brown	1	156
<i>C.I.L.</i> gives at the end of line 1 a palm-leaf pointing ob- liquely downward, and after <b>DOMITI</b> an arrow-head pointing lownward. The latter is doubtful in this example.	$13-14 \\ 11-13$	48	buff	1	157
Within each line two concentric circles. Perhaps not correctly given by <i>Marini</i> , who records <b>DOL</b> instead of <b>DO</b> .	ea. 10 ca, 10	26, 30	brown	<u>.</u>	158
<i>C.I.L.</i> gives the point after <b>DOMT</b> as in the middle of the line. A variant of this stamp has <b>DOMT</b> ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ).	12 13 10-12		buff or brown	2	15
Within each line two concentric circles, <i>Marini</i> has no punctuation-points in line 1 and gives <b>PAE</b> as another reading in line 2. Regarding the figure, cf. note, <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 291.	ea. 11 <u>1</u> ea. 11	40	red	1	160
Within each line two concentric circles. <i>Marini</i> records DORYPHOR.	$ca.\ 12\ 11rac{1}{2}$	:30	reddish brown	1	161
Some letters in line 1 are spaced. <i>Marini</i> records a fragment and gives no punctuation-points.	ca, 9	40 1	brownish yellow	1	165
As C.I.L. points out, this inscription is very similar to the following one, C.I.L. No. 1061. Marini gives no punctuation- marks.	11-12	32	brown	1	16:
<i>C.I.L.</i> gives no point after $\mathbf{EX}$ and $\mathbf{C}$ . It notes that this inscription is very similar to the preceding one, and that it does not mention the second consul's repeated consulship.	 $12-121 \\ 8-10$	39, 40	brown	2	16-

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list No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	MARINI No.
165	ΰ		EX FIG <i>linis</i> LVCILLAES QVARTIONIS In centre, an upright pine-cone	ca. 140	<b>1064</b> 5 noted	1013
 [66	Ü		$O \cdot D \cdot EX \cdot PR \cdot D \cdot L \cdot EX \cdot OF \cdot q \cdot f \cdot a$ L ST QVADR ET C C ruf In centre.	142	1065	501 <sup>3</sup> 960 <sup>1</sup>
167	Ċ		OP·DOL EX PRAED LVCILL VERI·Q·F·A· In centre, A	ca. 145-155	1068, a	95
68	$\odot$		MERCVRI · TI · CL QVINQVAT · EX · PR · LVCILL · VERI In centre, an np- ≹ right palm-leaf	ea. 145-155		
.69	0		TI CLAVdI SECVNDI·EX·PR· Iucillae·veri· In centre, a vase [with a handle on each side]	ca. 145–155	1081	99
70	$\bigcirc$		OPVS Dol ex pr lucil yer ab ulp anje COMmod et lateran COS In centre, a tri-	154	1086	517 1
71	0		ی TONDIT ARIGNOT ایس OD •CN OD •CN •CN OD •CN •	ca. 75–100	1094, e	818 <sup>3</sup>
72	Θ			ca. 75–100	1096, e 5 noted	830
73	$\bigcirc$		虫 cn doM AMNDI ⊯ vAL QVI FEC	ca, 75-108	1097, с	812 <sup>3</sup>
74			CN DOMIti daphni In centre, VALeat a si- strum qui fec .	ea. 90	1101, b? 4 noted	825 <sup>-</sup>
7.5	3		N en domiti elEMENTIS 😠	end of 1st cent,	1102, b	

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REMARKS	Iteight of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Ċolor	No. Found	List No.
<i>Marini</i> records a pine-cone only in the centre. <i>C.I.L.</i> states that the pine-cone is surrounded by leaves. These are absent in our examples, perhaps from defectiveness.	81-10 8-9	27, 37	brown or buff	2	165
C.I.L. gives QVADR, but Marini QVADR. C.I.L. and Marini do not state that COS is placed obliquely. It is in smaller letters than the rest of the stamp. The second consul's praenomen was L, not C; cf. note, C.I.L. p. 299.	ea. 12 ea. 11 ea. 9	37	brown	1	166
C.1.L. does not give the point in line 1, but Maximi does. The palm-leaf is placed somewhat obliquely, and is so given by Maximi: but not in C.1.L., which puts it thus: $\longrightarrow$ .	10-12 ea. 9	40-45	brown or buff	3	167
Compare C.I.L. No. 1077, $a$ . That record is based upon two examples found in 1859 (cf. Descemet, $ap$ , $cit$ , No. 252), and upon a fragment with a palm-leaf after <b>QVINQVAT</b> . As our examples differ from the former only in having some punctuation-points in line 1, they may represent either more perfect specimens or another variant.	$9-11 \\ 8\frac{1}{2}-10$	30–35	buff, red. or brown	8	168
In one of our two examples only is a handle of the vase preserved. One letter in line 1 is 15 mm, high. No punc- tuation-points are given by <i>Marini</i> . SECVNDI stands for SECVNDINI ( <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1, p. 305).	$\begin{array}{c} 11\frac{1}{2}-14\\ 10-12 \end{array}$	38, 42	buff or red	2	169
The very defective example shows only a fragment of the figure, and has COS, as recorded in $C.I.L.$ ; Marini gives COS. About VLPIVS ANICETIANVS, cf. $C.I.L.$ p. 213, No. 719, note.	ea. 11 ca. 10	36	brown	1	170
This example does not agree with <i>Marini's</i> No. 818, but with the second of two variants of it given by Dressel in note 3.	ea. 14 ca. 14	42	brown	1	171
By <i>Marini</i> the palm-leaves are placed obliquely, pointing up and outward.	$16-16\frac{1}{2}$	-40	brown	1	17:
C.I.L. 1097, c, has the lines in the opposite order, line 1 be- ing under line 2, apparently a misprint (cf. Dressel's note in Marini, p. 272; C.I.L. pp. 1, 2; Nos. 1095, 1097, d-f. 1102, a).	$\frac{12-13}{10-15-8}$	40	brown	1	17
This stamp agrees with <i>Marini</i> , No. 825, though Dressel's note (2) there and $C.I.L.$ give a palm-leaf at the beginning and the end of line 1. Perhaps a variant.		-40	buff	1	17-
	ea. 14	49	buff	1	$   \begin{array}{c}     167 \\     168 \\     168 \\     170 \\     177 \\     177 \\     177 \\     177 \\     177 \\   \end{array} $

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176	S		APR <i>ilis</i> · CN · <i>domiti</i> agathobuli (sie) In centre, a bueranium, seen from the front, between two palm-leaves	ca, 115-120	1106, b	599 <sup>1</sup>
177		Impressed	APRON ET PAE COS	123	1131 5 noted	
178	e		EX · PR · FL · APRI OPVS DOLIAR IVLI CALLISTI In centre, a bear running to the right	Pius	1145	870
179	Ċ		t fla <b>VI EVCRHI</b> (sic)	Flavii		
180		Impressed	APRON ET Pact cos	123	1160 1 noted	377
181	S		EX · PEREDIS C IVLI · AOLLINRIS FACET - MAGNO In centre, *** a palm-leaf		1203	950
				Hadrian		
182	$\bigcirc$		LLICANO ET VETERE COS OPVS F OFFIC IVLIAE SATVRNIN In centre, an inverted bucranium [with infula?]	1 <b>G</b> 150	1221, a	510
183		Impressed	pont et atil cos ex piuni SVL HERP	1:65	1229, a	487
184	$\bigcirc$		<i>c + licini</i> • <b>DONACIS</b> ? In centre, a doubtful object	about end of 1st cent.	1244	
185	Q		<ul> <li>L·LVRI·BLANDI *</li> <li>Between cusps, a large eagle seated on two cornucopiae [with cars of corn and bunches of grapes, <i>Marini</i>]</li> </ul>	Flavii	1248, a	1016 1

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	Νο. Γούνισ	List No.
Letters too defective to be measured accurately: they decrease in size toward each end of the inscription. The O in AGATHOBULI is also small. As <i>Marini</i> has AGATHO-BVLI, this stamp may exist in two variants. The present fragment might belong to either one.	<->	47	buff	1	170
This stamp is also recorded as $C.I.L.$ X. No. 8043 (22).	$ca. 14\frac{1}{2}$	34	brown	1	177
Within each line two concentric circles. The examples lack points, perhaps because defective; but they may represent a variant.	10=11 ca, 10	21, 27	red or brown	<u>.</u>	178
Perhaps C.I.L. 1151, which is a fragment, viz.: T FLAVI EVS, of circular (?) form. PLATE II, 9. Compare C.I.L. 1150.	$15\frac{1}{2}$	36	brown	1	17
Neither <i>Marini</i> nor <i>C.I.L.</i> gives figures in the second line. Of this apparently very rare stamp we found five examples, which (all being defective in the same way) were no doubt cut off in the course of manufacture. The sole example noted in <i>C.I.L.</i> is in the Musco Borgiano at Velletri.	14-16	36-43	brown	õ	180
The stamp $C.I.L.$ 1203 has a point in line 2 and in the cen- tre a palm-leaf pointing to the right. It agrees in these respects with one of our two examples. But the other has a short dash in line 2 and in the centre a palm-leaf pointing to the left, as shown in our record, and is therefore, strictly speaking, a vari- ant of $C.I.L.$ 1203. It agrees, however, with the stamp as re- corded by <i>Marini</i> , except with regard to punctuation-points, which are not given. Its letters are a little larger, 13 mm, in line 1 and 11 mm, in line 2.	12–13 12–14	34, 43	red or brown	2	181
Regarding OPVS FIG( <i>linum</i> ) OFFIC( <i>linu</i> ) IVLIAE SATVRNIN( <i>ae</i> ), ef. C.I.L. p. 337, No. 1221, note. We did not observe an infula.	$\frac{10-12}{9-10\frac{1}{2}}$	30-40	buff, red, or brown	ī	182
	ea. 15	43	red	1	183
The example may be $C.I.L.$ 1214 $b, c, or d.$	ea. 12	<u>-2</u> ()	brown	1	184
<i>C.I.L.</i> gives the shape as a circle and has a star after the first L, which is not printed small. This example therefore may be a variant of <i>C.I.L.</i> 1218, $a$ ; but its inscription agrees with the one noted by Dressel in his comment upon <i>Marini</i> , No. 1016. The figure is between the cusps of the crescent.	7, 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , 8	-41	brown	1	185

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LIST No.	SHAPE	Letters	8 ГАМР	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
186	3		EX PR·M·MACRI·OF·L·M·astrag SERVIANO·III·cos Centre blank	134	1300, a 5 noted	481
157	C		$\begin{array}{c} OP \cdot dol \cdot ex \cdot pr  mummia  vARA \\ E  C  F  tig  acili \cdot fortVN \\ \text{In centre [a river-god reclining toward the left]} \end{array}$	about Severus	1310 2 noted	
1~~			NAEVI Bassi	perhaps 1st cent.	1326 4 noted	1067 <sup>2</sup>
189		Impressed	APRON ET PAE C $_{OS}$ $\Box$ O N E S I M I $\Box$	123	1339	387 2
190	E C		• M • VALERI • PRIsci OPVS • DOLIARE In centre,	ca, 134 ?	1367	1362
191	Θ		$q \cdot POMPE1 \cdot MAMMEi$	about beginning of 2d cent.	1373	1136
192		Impressed	apron et pAE COS	123	1416 3 noted	
193		Impressed	aproN ET PAE COS	123	1450 2 noted	
 194		Impressed	apro et PAE COS	123	1467	
195	C		opus FIGLINVM DOliar de pr vibii (sie aiaCIANI AB Appio quaqu (sie) In centre [a bust of Mercury with petasus, turned to the right: before it a purse, behind it the cadaceas]	about Hadrian	1500	1081 <sup>2</sup>
196			SEX · VIBL ARI PICT			
197		Impressed	apro et PAE COS m vin HERCVLAN	123	1529, a	

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
The centre of this stamp is blank.	ea. 12 ea. 12	36	brown	1	186
C.I.L. gives the first <b>F</b> in line 2 hatched. This specimen is so defective that it leaves that letter likewise doubtful.	ca, 12 $ca, 9\frac{1}{2}$	26	red	1	187
C.I.L. notes the early style of the letters. See also remarks in $C.I.L.$ p. 351, top of col. 2.	ea. 12	31	red	1	188
Line 2 wrongly recorded by <i>Marini</i> .	$14-14\frac{1}{2}$ $13\frac{1}{2}$	38, 39	buff or brown	2	18
In the first line <i>C.I.L.</i> gives only the point after VALERI. <i>Marini</i> gives all the points except the one before <b>M</b> . About <b>M. VALERIVS PRISCVS</b> and the date of note, <i>C.I.L.</i> p. 360.	<i>ca</i> , 10	36	buff	1	190
Marini has a doubtful $\mathbf{Q}$ and does not give punctuation- points.	14-1.5	31-43	buff or brown	-1	191
$C.I.L.$ gives a rectangle $\square$ after SECVNDI: but our examples show a square.	14–15	87_39	buff or brown	 0	191
The examples show that the figure at the end of the second line is an oblong. The fourth letter in the second line is undoubtedly $O$ ; cf. <i>C.I.L.</i> , note.	14-15	36_39	buff or brown	4	198
Each of the three specimens had all the letters here re- corded as seen. The inscription was probably divided in the cutting of triangular bricks from square ones.	ea. 14 ea. 14 $\frac{1}{2}$	36-42	buff or brown	;	194
Quite wrongly recorded by <i>Marini</i> . The genitive case of VIBIVS is spelled with two I's in this stamp: in all others it has but one ( <i>C.I.L.</i> ). The second $V$ in $QVNQV$ is smaller than the other letters.	10-11 8-9	32	red	1	195
One letter I is 14 mm, long. Pr vie H. 7.	12-14	37	brown	1	190
	$\frac{18-18!}{12!-13}$	85, 87	red	2	197

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List No,	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
198	$\bigcirc$	Bad letters in a circle	OF · BVC - 2 · P - In centre. • a point	1st half of 3d cent.?	1554 2 noted	
199	-		R • S • p OF • DOm S • 1111	1st half of 3d cent.?	1568, a or b	1179?
200	-	Impressed	ott SRFDom ø	Diocletian or later ?	1569, a	1191 1
201	$\bigcirc$	Bad letters in a circle	oFF DOM s r?	Diocletian or later ?		
202	(		OF · S P · off · DOM ·	lst half of 3d cent.?	1574. a	
203	$\bigcirc$	Bad letters in a circle	OF DOMIT · P 2 In centre, · a point	1st half of 3d cent.?	1577	1220 5 ?
204		Impressed	OF S OF dom mERCAT In centre. :::	Gordiani ?	1579. a	1225
205	С	Impressed	OF S OF DOM VICTORIS Centre blank	Gordiani ?	1580, a	
206	Ĵ	Impressed	OF S OF DOM VICTORIS In centre, $\times$ two straight crossed lines $\times$ in relief	Gordiani ?	1580, b	1223, a
207		Impressed	OF S DOMI SATVRNINI In centre, Placed R as shown	Gordiani ?	1581, a	1223
205	C	Impressed	$ot \cdot \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{P} \cdot t$	Diocletian or later ?	1591, b or c 3 and 2 noted	1205

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM,	Color	No. Found	List No.
The example shows no punctuation-mark after OF and $2$ , but a short dash after BVC and P, while <i>C.I.L.</i> gives a point. Two concentric circles within and outside of the letters. A ra- dial dash in relief passes through the letter O, extending from the inner circles to the octagon. A similar dash passes between the letters $2$ and P. Both are perhaps due to cracks in the wooden block. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> p. 75.	13–14	28	brown	1	198
About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> p. 75 and pl. y, I. Cf. remarks of <i>Maximi</i> , pp. 345–347. — Apparently a tile.	$8\frac{1}{2}-10$	19	red	1	199
About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> pp. 73, 77 and pl. v. 4. Of this very common stamp we found only one example.	$10-11\frac{1}{2}$	38	brown	1	200
Within the letters two concentric circles; outside of them one circle. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 1573 and 1575. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> p. 73.	11-14	22, 27	brown		201
C.I.L. notes only six examples. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, op. cit. pp. 73, 77.	9-11	31	red	1	202
C.I.L. gives <b>P</b> . Short diameter of octagon = $73.5$ mm. Within and outside of the inscription are two concentric circles. Outer diameter of ontermost circle = $35.5$ mm. In the centre a point, omitted in C.I.L. Marini recorded <b>O DOM1T PS</b> . About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> pp. 73, 77.	11-15	25-36	red or brown	3	203
The figure in the middle is surrounded by a circle. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> p. 77 and pl. v. 3. A variant of this stamp has <b>DOMI</b> ( <i>Marini</i> ).	12-14	24, 26	red	2	204
About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, op. cit. p. 77.	ea. 12	37	red	1	205
As to a meaning of the figure see G. B. de Rossi, <i>Bull. Crist.</i> 1870, p. 12; also W. Dennison, <i>Amer. Journ. Arch.</i> IX. (1905), pp. 19, 32–13. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cd.</i> p. 77.	ea. 13	29	brown	1	206
The letters are placed in a circle, between single circles. The meaning of the letters $82$ , which are placed horizontally in $C.I.L.$ , is unknown. About the date, see List No. 205.	11-12	30-41	red or brown	3	207
The letters are placed in a circle between single circles. A figure, as in the example of <i>Marini</i> , p. 353, could not be observed. About the date, cf. G. B. Lugari, <i>op. cit.</i> p. 77.	13–14	25	red	1	208

List No,	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	$\frac{\mathbf{D}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{T}\mathbf{E}}{( \mathbf{X},\mathbf{D} )}$	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No,
209	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	OF S OF IOBIA CESVRINI In centre, fragment of some figure? in relief	Diocletian or later	1609	1227 <sup>1</sup>
210	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	OF S OF IOBIA CLEMEN Centre blank	Diocletian or later	1610	1226
211	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	off <b>S R F MARC1</b> © In centre, 🕐 a leaf	Diocletian or later	1615, a	$\frac{1192}{1193}^{2}$ $\frac{1193}{1195}^{2}$
212	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	OFF S R F OCen In centre [a leaf]	Diocletian or later	1622	1196-3     1190-2     1197
213	$\bigcirc$	– – In a eircle	OF LER-2 P- In centre. • a point	1st half of 3d cent,?		
214			+ rECON THEODE		1664	1561
			The following stamp, which occurs with the above stamp, was not found by us on any brick :	Theodoric		
			Cf. C.I.L. p. 114			
15			RECON THeode RICO B0N0rome		1665, a?	$156^{11}$ 157 159
				Theodoric		
216		_	?reg d n theODE ?rico bono R0∧E		1665, a ?	157 1
			-	Theodoric		1

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	COLOR	No. Found	List No.
One example is 25-37 mm, thick: it is wedge-shaped. About the date, cf. C.I.L. p. 386, and G. B. Lugari, op. cit.	12-14	25-38	red. buff, or brown		209
One of the two bricks found bears two of the stamps. About the date, cf. C.I.L. p. 386, and G. B. Lugari, op. cit.	$12\frac{1}{2}-14$	24, 32	red or brown	3	210
Between the inscription and the figure two concentric circles. Marini gives at the end of the line an arrow-head pointing npward. About the date, see List No. 212, Remarks.	ea. 10	29	buff	1	211
Marini gives a triangle at the end of the line in No. 1196. About the date, cf. C.I.L. p. 386, and G. B. Lugari, op. cit. pp. 70, 77.	8-11	20-34	red or brown	99	212
Around and within the inscription are two concentric circles. A variant of the rare stamp, C.I.L. No. 1617. About the date, cf. C.I.L. p. 386, and G. B. Lugari, op. cit.	12-14	<u>-29</u> _36	buff or brown	5	213
The accompanying inscription is missing. Height of rectan- gular frame = $42\frac{1}{2}$ - $13\frac{1}{2}$ mm.: its corners are rounded. GD, TH. DE, and hence probably also RE, in line 1 are joined. OR in line 2 are joined. There are three kinds of O in line 2, differing in size and shape, to wit: O <sub>1</sub> (round) 11 mm. high: O <sub>2</sub> and O <sub>3</sub> (oval) $12\frac{1}{2}$ - $13\frac{1}{2}$ mm. high; O <sub>4</sub> (oval) 11 mm. high: This stamp is probably the same as <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 1661, although all the above-mentioned facts are not pointed out there. The letters are often in high relief, but ill-made. The stamp figured by G. Boni ( <i>Na'izie degli Scaei</i> , 1900, p. 170, fig. 15) appears to belong here: but the drawing does not quite agree with <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 1661 and our examples. Three of the specimens, lacking the beginnings of the lines, may belong to <i>C.I.L.</i> 1665, <i>a.</i> PLATE H, 11.	16-18 <u>1</u> , 16-18 <u>1</u> , except O's	21-26	brown	5	214
Height of rectangular frame 13 mm.: its corners are rounded. RE, GD, TH are united, and hence probably also DE (cf. List No. 214): but there is no dash over EG. O <sub>1</sub> (round) 13½ mm, high; O <sub>2</sub> and O <sub>3</sub> (oval) 12½-13 mm, high. There are no crosses at the beginnings of the lines. Probably <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 1665, <i>a</i> , though it is not stated that the O's in BONO differ distinctly from the first O in line 2. PLATE II, 12.	15–17 14–17, except O's	ca. 25	brown	1	21
This stamp differs from List No. 214, and probably from List No. 215, in the separation of <b>D</b> and <b>E</b> . The <b>O</b> (oval) in <b>ROME</b> is 13 mm, high, much smaller than the adjoining letters. This fragment, therefore, likewise cannot belong to the following stamp, $C.I.L.$ 1665, $b$ , but may belong to the stamp figured (if correctly) by G. Boni, <i>loc. cit.</i> , above.	ea.15-20.		brown	1	210

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217			+reg D И THEODE +ricO ВОИО ROME	Theodoric	1665, b	
215			+REC D N THEOde rICO fELIX Roma	Theodoric	1669	154 1
219	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	gaudENTI ♦ In centre [a cross]	ōth cent,?	1692, b 2 noted	
- <u>22</u> ()		Impressed	SAL EX PR ARMINI AR	123	1810, b 1 noted	
221	$\odot$		ex pr-f/AVIAES PELAG paet E APR Cos	123	2012 1 noted	377, a²
<u></u>			BC			
		Impressed				
<u>200</u>	1		САМРА			
224			CLODIO LYBIOSV			
225		Impressed	DAELAB			
2 <u>2</u> 6		Small	*IIANSIS *NISSARAI			
227			EX OFFICI NA I	3d cent. or later		

REMARKS	HEIGHT OF LETTERS MM.	AVERAGE Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
The O's in line 2 are of nearly equal height, $16\frac{1}{2}$ -18 mm. No letters are united. The N's are shaped thus: $\mathcal{M}$ . The height of the rectangular frame is 43 mm. PLATE II, 17.	17-20 14-16, exc. O's	22, 26	brown	2	217
Both specimens have the — over $N$ : but they may represent the <i>two</i> variants given under <i>C.I.L.</i> 1669, as one of our examples is too fragmentary to decide which it is. Noted also in <i>Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist.</i> II (1896), p. 56, No. 5.	$15-18 \\ 15-18$	26, 28	brown	2	218
The figure in the centre of the example is broken away. Letters between single circles. About the date, cf. $CI,L$ . No. 1691.	$12-13\frac{1}{2}$	31	brown	1	219
Compare Nos. 482–181. Two doubtful letters <b>AR</b> at the end of line 2 may be due to a re-impression of the same stamp.	$\frac{13\text{-}14}{13\text{-}14}$	31	brown	1	220
This example establishes and almost completes the partly doubtful text of the stamp as recorded in $C.I.L.$ Unfortunately it is defective at the end of line 1, like the sole example noted in $C.I.L.$	va. 12	37	red	1	221
PLATE IX. 11. The letters are unusually large. Possibly not a Roman stamp in the ordinary sense, as Roman brickstamps consisting only of a few large unframed letters are almost un- known. There are many in small letters on vessels, but they usually show the outline of the block. Compare C.I.L. XV, 1, Nos. 1170, 1997, 2183, 2361, 2539, 2540, 2514, 2549, 2550, and 2557; X, 2, Nos. 8012 (105, 118–121, 131, 159), 8043 (51), 8045 (31): Marini, Nos. 651–653, 656–659; P. Crostarosa, Nuoro Bull. di Archeol. Crist. II (1896), p. 66, No. 42; VII (1901), p. 143, No. 83.	ca. 15	22	buff	1	<u></u>
PLATE III, 14. Over the letters are two impressed circular stamps, one about 49 mm., the other about 21 mm. in diameter. Both examples have the same figured stamps accompanying the inscription and appear to have been made with the same block.	16-18	34, 36	brown or buff	2	223
The rectangle is 75 mm, broad and 21 mm, high. PLATE II, 8.	13-15	20	brown	1	224
The letters are unusually large and roughly made. PLATE II, 1.	25-27	37	red	1	225
The letters are unusually small. PLATE H, 6.	8-9	36	brown	1	226
The inscription, which is of late date, is surrounded by a rectangular ornamental frame in relief. PLATE II, 10.	13-15	25	prown	1	227

List No	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	Dате (а.d.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
228	ĺ	Impressed	FL			
220			L ALFI RVFI-? SATVRNI?			
 230			OFL er INOC ENTI			
281	Ċ		→ TI CLAVDI TYRANNI  → ? ? Centre blank			
 232			T TV			
233	0					
234	 		관 APR·ET·PAE C A·G·S·S·D·F·1 ?		490-493	
		Impressed		123		
235			A Pr O A N	123		
236		Impressed	APR Et EX P MI	123		
237		Impressed	APRON Et	123		

REMARKS	Ileight of Letters MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	Νο, Γουνσ	List No.
The letters are unusually large. Possibly not a Roman stamp in the ordinary sense : see Remarks under List No. 222. PLATE 11, 2.	25-27	31-40	brown or buff	ī	228
The rectangle enclosing the inscription is about 70 mm. broad and 30 mm. high. The illustration, PLATE II, 3, which is not good, shows only the left half.	$\frac{10\text{-}11}{9\text{-}9\frac{1}{2}}$	32	buff	1	229
The letters of this stamp, which appears to be of late date, are ill made. PLATE II, 16.	9-16 9-16 9-16	27	buff	1	230
This stamp, on account of its shape and inscription, seems to be of the end of the first century. Compare $C.I.L.$ Nos. 925, b, 930, e, and 933, $c-e$ , after which it should be placed. PLATE II, 18.	$10\frac{1}{2}$ -12	-1-1	brown	1	231
The frame is 20 mm, high. The inscription seems to have consisted of two lines, but only a few letters of the lower one are visible. PLATE IX, 6.	<i>ea</i> . 9	35	red	1	232
The diameter of the stamp, which is $ca. 26$ mm., and the character of the letters, though they cannot be distinctly read, indicate that this stamp may be $C.I.L.$ 1660, $a$ . PLATE VIII, 8.		<u>-2</u> ;)	buff	1	233
One example has the peculiar cross, called fylfot (also swa- stika and crux gammata, or croix-gamma), in relief over the middle of the inscription, 21 mm, distant from it. PLATE III, 15. Its vertical width is 12 mm, its horizontal width, 40 mm, while the extremities beyond the angle measure on the out- side about 16 mm. For references regarding the origin, mean- ing and wide distribution of the fylfot, see p. 7, note 2, a and b.	14–15	35-40	red or brown	5	234
There is no $\mathbf{O}$ at the left end of the middle line in any stamp beginning thus in <i>C.I.L.</i> The fragment might belong to a variant of <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 154.	12-13	40	red	1	235
Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 1954.	<i>ca</i> , 15	35	red	1	236
The example is not $C.I.L.$ No. 150 or 1385. The figure at the beginning of line 2, exactly given here, looks somewhat like those similarly placed in $C.I.L.$ No. 1430–1432. Cf. $C.I.L.$ No. 1992.	$13\frac{1}{2}$ -14	35, 44	red or brown	2	287

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LIST SHAP: NO.	E LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
238	Impressed	A P <i>r</i>	123		
239	Impressed	APR	123		
240	Impressed	aprON ET PAE Cos	123		
241	Impressed	<i>et p</i> AE COS	125		
242	Impressed	COS IIMI	123 ?		
243	Impressed	COS (iC []	123 ?		
244	Impressed	pae cos	123		
24.5	Impressed	ET PAE COS $x a \cdot g \cdot s \cdot S \cdot D \cdot C$	123		
246	Impressed	cOS 1	123 ?		
247	Impressed	cOS R	123 ?		
248	Impressed	cOS	123?		
249	Impressed	<i>et</i> PAE COS	123		
250	Impressed	coS Q	123 ?		
251	Impressed	APr	123		
252	Impressed	APRON ET PAE cos	123		

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
There is no trace of a square $\square$ before the <b>S</b> . Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 500, <i>a</i> .	15-16	39	red	1	238
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 143-450, 787, and others.	ca. $14\frac{1}{2}$	39	brown	1	239
	ca, 14	38	brown	1	240
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 443, 441–447 (List Nos. 69–72), 449, and 450 (List No. 73).	14-15	38	brown	1	241
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 1339, 1386.	ea. 15	38	buff	1	242
Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 934.	ea. 13 <u>1</u> 14–15	42	brown	1	243
There is a slight circular depression within the rectangle at the end of line 2. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 787, 1187, 1303, 1448.	14-1.5 14-1.5	35	brown	1	244
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 190–191, among which this fragment belongs, and No. 195.	ea. 12 ea. 14	37	brown	1	245
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 815, 898, 914, 1467.	<i>ca.</i> $16\frac{1}{2}$	40	brown	1	246
	ea. 14	37	red	1	247
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 443-450, and others.	<i>cu</i> . 14	40	brown	1	248
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 143, 144–147 (List Nos. 69–72). The figure of this fragment is an oblong.	$13\frac{1}{2}$ $13\frac{1}{2}$	37	brown	1	249
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 413, 414–447 (List Nos. 69–72).	ca. 14	41	brown	1	250
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 443-450, 179, 486, a, 490, and others.	ea. 13	42	brown	1	251
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 443–448, 479, 787.	12 - 13	42	brown	1	252

List No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No,	Marini No,
253		Impressed	paetIN ET APROn cos	123		
 254		Impressed	eT APR COS	123		
255		Impressed	et paE COS	123		
256		Impressed	COS	123?		
257		1mpressed		123?		
258		Impressed	et PAE·C	123		
259	Ű		opus dol DE PRAED aug n ex figl vet CAECl <i>lia amanda</i> ntre [a woman looking to the left, holding in h t hand a cornucopia, in her right a palm-leaf]	er		
260	0		VS DOLIA or OPVS DOLIA ES or $a \in \mathcal{E}$			
 261	0		EX PR STA (3 AEL In centre (?)			
262	0		earini lucilAE VERi (sic) opus dollARE	ca. 145–155	? ?	
263		Impressed	$ \begin{array}{l} H \mid \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{E} \ t + s \ i \ s \ e \ n + c \ o \ s \\ \mathbf{EX} \cdot \mathbf{PR} \cdot u \mathbf{L}  \forall ulpian \ sa(l) \end{array} $	133	508, a or b	
264	0		OPVS DOL·EX			
			In centre (?)			
265	0	1	oPVS DOL·EX Pr- n centre, a winged human figure (Victory?), its feet over the S			

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
Perhaps a fragment of $C.I.L.$ No. 563, $b$ - $f$ , $i$ , or $k$ .	<i>ea</i> . 16	35	brown	1	253
	14-15	38	red	1	254
Perhaps a fragment of C.I.L. Nos. 1187, 1338, or 1360.	ca. 15	-11	brown	1	255
Perhaps a fragment of C.I.L. No. 827 (List No. 148).	13-14	39	brown	1	256
The letters are very defective. Compare $C.I.L.$ No. 150 (List No. 73).		9.9 7.9	buff	1	257
This fragment apparently belongs to C.I.L. No. 190, 491 (List No. 80), 492, or 493.	ea. 14	39	red		258
Apparently a fragment of $C.I.L.$ No. 193 or 194. The stamps probably belong, according to $C.I.L.$ , to the first years of the reign of (Septimius) Severus.				1	259
Perhaps a fragment of C.I.L. No. 256.	ea. 12	23	brown	1	260
	10-11	37	red	1	261
Perhaps a fragment of C.I.L. No. 1050.	11-12	25	brown	1	262
This fragment apparently belongs to the rare stamp $C.I.L.$ No. 508, $a$ (5 noted), or $b$ (1 noted). Its place is after List No. 87.	ea. 14	37	brown	1	263
This fragment might belong to $C.I.L.$ No. 399 or 1090, b. Compare also $C.I.L.$ Nos. 45, 162, 167, 225, and others.				1	264
	$11\frac{1}{3}-12$	27	brown	1	265

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LIST No.	SHAPE	Letters	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
266		Impressed	- N1 · АS - - S - т ОИ			
267	0		OP DOL Ex pr aug n tl gEAoraoravibver In centre [a Victory; see C.I.L.]			
268	Ö		OPVS DOI			
269		Impressed	PONT ET rutin cos oratil cosE X fig avitian or piuni sul herp	131 or 135		
270	0		opus dol ex fig pROPET • PRAed or tes paul • neg • saeN • → ictor In centre [a fish turned to the left]	Commodus?		
271	0		op <b>VS DOLIAR</b> In centre (?)			
272		Impressed	• ••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	Hadrian ?		
273	0		DOL EX PR In centre, a winged human figure (Victory?)			
274	$\odot$		EX PRA DO			
275	$\bigcirc$		EX • tiglinis tonneianis flavi apRl OP • dol · alli rufl In centre, nothing to see [a seven-rayed star?]	ca, middle of 2d cent.?		
276	9		dOLIARE l In centre (?)			
 277	0		EX PR AVg or r			

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REMARKS	HFIGHT OF LETTERS MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Fornd	List No.
The rectangular frame measures $50 \times 19$ mm. Probably a fragment of a stamp of the first century. Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> Nos. 1320, 1321, 1326 (List No. 188) and 1970.				1	266
This fragment may belong to C.I.L. No. 222.	ea. 12	25	red	1	267
Compare C.I.L. No. 763.	<i>ea</i> , 11	:30	red	1	268
This fragment may belong to C.I.L. Nos. 15 (Marini, No. 162) -17, or C.I.L. No. 1229.	15-16	34	buff	1	269
This fragment apparently belongs to a stamp published by P. Crostarosa, <i>Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist.</i> IV (1898), p. 231. We discovered this too late to insert it among the "identified" stamps after List No. 62, where it belongs. Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> XVI. 1, Nos. 115–118. PLATE II, 15.	11-11 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>	19	buff	1	270
This fragment might belong to $C.I.L.$ No. 381 or 372.		<u>35</u>	red	1	271
Over the stamp is an impressed disk $ca, 22$ mm, in diameter, in the centre of which is a hemispherical hole $ca$ , 11 mm, in diameter,	<i>ca.</i> 16	37	buff	1	272
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 14, 197, 222, 408, d. and others.	- ea. 12	36	buff	1	273
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 161 (List No. 18) and 713.	ea. 12	25	red	1	274
Perhaps <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 653.	ea. 13 ea. 11	47	brown	1	275
Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> Nos. 179 and 1016.	ea. 12	32	buff	1	276
This fragment might belong to two kinds of stamps: C.I.L. Nos. 14, 48, 163, 174, 203, etc., or C.I.L. Nos. 101, 719.		30	brown	1	277

List No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
<u></u> 278	Ű		FIG DOM			
			In centre, some figure			
279	Ú		IAN, OP D	Hadrian ?		
280	$\bigcirc$		LAE?			
281	Ö		0P DOL EX			
282	0		PR ASIN	middle of 2d cent.?		
283	C		$ \stackrel{?}{\longrightarrow} en \cdot d \stackrel{?}{\text{Smiti}} eu \text{RJST}_{1} \cdots $ In centre [ <i>v. o. f.</i> ( <i>sic</i> ), reversed]	75-100 ?		
284			T1 Claudi HERmerotis or merotis	middle or end of 1st cent,?		
285	9.		ex · pr cusin(æ) gra <b>TILLÆ</b>	1st half of 2d cent.?	961, a or b?	782?
286	0		VE			
287	0	In c	op dol ex pr AVG N FIg tere nt 1 aelio pHIDele entre [an eagle with spread wings, seen from the front : he is looking toward the left]	Severus ?		
- 288	Ő	_	AT :		-	
289	9		AXIMI orAXIMI	Hadrian ?		
290	0		ET·,PAF ?			
291	Ċ		EX FIG In centre (?)			

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	Νυ. Γουκρ	List No.
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 165, 169, b, and 1030.	ea. 12	28	brown	1	278
Perhaps a fragment of the rare stamp C.I.L. No. 1504.	12-14	36 	red	1	279
Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 617.	ca. 11	42	brown	1	28(
This fragment might belong to C.I.L. Nos. 9, 44, 159, 160, 181–183, and many others.	ea. 13	40	buff	1	283
Compare C.I.L. No. 863, Marini, No. 509.	ea. 9	33 193	brown	1	281
Probably a fragment of $C.I.L.$ No. 1096, b. We observed this too late, however, to reexamine the original stamp in order to ascertain whether the first letter here given is correctly noted as <b>S</b> or not.	$18\frac{1}{2}-14\frac{1}{2}-14\frac{1}{2}-10$	25	brown	1	28
Probably C.I.L. No. 930, b or c, Marini, No. 732 or 731.	10-11	38	brown	1	28-
Perhaps C.I.L. No. 961, a or b.	ea. 14	37	red	1	28
	9-10	3.5	brown	1	280
This fragment may belong to C.I.L. No. 625, Marini, Nos. 194, 1962.	111-12	37		1	287
All the letters are much worn. Compare C.I.L. No. 40.			red	1	288
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 298, 299; 252, 253, a, 251, b, 255.	13–14	31	red	1	289
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 26, 28, 453, 956, and others.	13-15	<u>-5</u> 9	buff	1	290
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 699, 545, 169, h.	ea. 12	35	brown	1	291

Lisr No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
292		Impressed	? ? ? EX FIG		:	
<u>-</u> 93	0		I IG D N			
294	0		? LAVG N ?? In centre, a figure?			
295	÷.		NA EX I	Ist cent.?		
296	0		ONINI ??			
297	Ŭ		OPV S D·			
298	0		? op • dol • eX • PR DOm • augg nn fig? domit • laN1 fortunati In centre (?)	Severus ?	159?	
299		Large and impressed	X PR 1			
300	Ũ		 DEN			
301		Impressed	· ERV! · ·	134 ?		
302	0	Bad	JIJ	3d cent, or later		
303	0		G NNN			
304	5		*1 F1G			
305	-		VR1 In centre (?)			
306	С		MINI			
307	)		O D·M·S			

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REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM,	Color	No. Found	List No,
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 303, 306,	ea. 14	37	red	1	292
	ea. 11	28	brown	1	293
	ca. 11	-40	brown	1	294
The letters vary in size. Compare C.I.L. No. 656.	12<14	-4()	brown	1	295
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 93, 95, 201.	ea. 13	34	brown	1	296
Within the first line, two concentric circles. <i>C.J.L.</i> Nos. 168, 204, 714, 759, 772 have the same letters, but other shapes.	ен. 12 ен. 11	:3()	brown	1	297
This fragment might belong to <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, 1, No. 159: cf. <i>C.I.L.</i> X, No. 8043 (10). The figure in the centre is wanting from defectiveness.	$1:3\frac{1}{2}-1+$	25	brown	1	298
	25-26	37	brown	1	299
Compare $C.I.L.$ Nos. 1691, 1692, $a$ , which, however, have impressed letters. The $\mathbb{T}$ is perhaps a part of a cross.	ea. 17	- <u>1</u> ()	red	1	300
Compare $C.I.L.$ Nos. 92, 511, 512, 515. There was probably one line, at least, either above or below the one recorded.	ea. 15	27	buff	1	301
In the centre doubtful traces of a figure.	$13\frac{1}{2}$ -15	25	brown	1	302
Perhaps $C.I.L.$ No. 18, <i>Maximi</i> , No. 227 <sup>1</sup> . This is the only circular inscription with three <b>N</b> 's recorded in $C.I.L.$	ea. 10	29	brown	1	303
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 156, 202, 624, 625.	<i>ca.</i> 14	-2()	red	1	304
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 337, 1247, 1248, a, 1250, 1253, 1254.	letters eut off	9.õ	red	1	305
Perhaps C.I.L. No. 213.	ea. 12	35	red	1	306
Another impression of the stamp with <b>O D</b> on the same brick.	- ea. 13	35	red	2	307

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List No.	SHAPE	Letiers	STAMP	<b>Д</b> АТЕ ( <b>А.</b> D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No,
30×	Ő		O N EX N In centre (?)			
309	0		OP DO/			
310	Ĵ		OP qVIN cOs	134 ?		
311	Ĉ		PR • CAcs? In centre (?)			
312	0		<i>l</i> VC1L In centre (?)			
313	,		› › A N D			
314		Large and impressed				
315	Ü		EX A In centre (?)			
316	$\bigcirc$		EX Pr			
317	0		EX S In centre (?)			
318	0		F DO			
319	$\bigcirc$		$ OF C$ In centre, $\bigcirc$ a leaf	Diocletian or later?		
			10 NN			
321	0		?			
			In centre (?)			

REMARKS	HEIGHT OF LETTERS MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Coron	No. Found	List No,
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 189, 212, 225.	ca. 11	26	brown	1	308
We have found no stamp recorded with both the shape and the letters here given.	ca. 12	38	brown	1	30;
Perhaps C.I.L. No. 1073.	10-11	37	red	1	310
It is doubtful if there was a second line. The fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 322, 364, 369, 718, and others.	letters eut off	31	red	1	311
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 171, 270, 618, 1022, 1046, and others.	ea. 9	27	brown	1	31:
Compare C.I.L. No. 1097, a.	14-15	38	red	1	315
The letters are unusually large.	ea. 25	35	brown	1	314
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 76, 90, a, 98, 109, 143, and others.	ea. 11	35	red	1	315
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 11, 97, e and d, 253, 255, 316, and others.	ea. 13	34	red	1	310
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 11, 49, 207, 242, 288, and others.	12-13	28	red	1	317
It is doubtful if there was a second line. Compare $C.I.L.$ Nos. 162, 182,	ca. 13	27	brown	1	318
Probably C.I.L. No. 1615, a, or 1622 (List No. 211 or 212). About the date, cf. C.I.L. p. 386 and G. B. Lugari, <i>ap. cit.</i> pp. 70, 77.	$7-8\frac{1}{2}$	24	brown	1	319
Apparently a letter followed <b>NN</b> . Compare <i>C.I.L.</i> Nos. 652, 651; but also <i>C.I.L.</i> Nos. 180, 181–183, 215–217.	ea. 12	34	buff	1	320
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 128 and 135; also Nos. 129, 692, 725, and others.	ea. 12	27	buff	1	321

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List No.	SHAPE	LETTERS	STAMP	DATE (A.D.)	C.I.L. XV, 1 No.	Marini No.
322	C		PR M			
			? in centre (?)			
323	Ŭ.		R AL			
24		Impressed	sVLP	Hadrian		
325	0		VRI•E`		1	
326			AE			
327	$\bigcirc$		• <b>F</b> Mar · s · r · f is · pr [? heal a] artnes nl	Diocletian or later?		
325	$\bigcirc$	Impressed	0M	1st half of 3d cent.?		
320		Impressed	©S			
330	0		PR ?			
331	-		 >>			
332		Impressed	ים 🗍			
) +) - ) ) • ) • )	$\heartsuit$	_	V1 ? ?		0	
334			Traces of an illegible inscription in relief, with a fragment of a frame			
3.3.5			The inscription is ille lible			
336			• The inscription is illegible			

REMARKS	Height of Letters MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found	List No.
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 408, <i>a-e</i> , 245.	<i>ca</i> . 12	37	red	1	<u>32:</u>
Compare C.I.L. Nos. 89, 256, 625, 625.	$15-15^{1}_{2}$	37	red	1	32:
The letters are unusually large. Perhaps C.I.L. No. 566 a. 589, or 1838, d.	ea. 27	<b>1</b> •}	brown	1	324
The last letters may be wrongly noted. Compare $C.I.L.$ No. 235.	10-11	31	brown	. 1	325
The letters are unusually large. The rectangular frame is 26 mm, high. Compare C.I.L. No. 2093.	<i>ea</i> . 17	27	red	1	<u>82</u> (
Perhaps C.I.L. No. 1613. Large letters within a single circle.			buff	1	327
The letters are between single circles. The fragment probably belongs to $C.I.L.$ No. 1571, a (List No. 202).	11-12		brown	1	328
The letters are unusually large. Perhaps $C.I.L.$ No. 583, $b.$ or 1393.	ea. 18	35	brown	1	820
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 9, 10, 41, 41, 16, 17, and others.	ea. 13	31	red	1	33(
This fragment might belong to many stamps. Compare C.I.L. Nos. 75, 79, 251, 417, 420, and others.	<i>ea.</i> 16	24	brown	1	331
The letters are about 25 mm. high, but too imperfect in the example for exact measurement.		32	brown	1	00 <u>-</u>
Perhaps C.I.L. No. 1151 (List No. 1793) or 1152.	<i>ca.</i> 16	33	brown	1	33) 33)
The ansated rectangle is 31 mm, high and ill made.		35	red	1	334
		27	buff	1	335
At 16 mm, from one end of the oblong is an impressed disk, 25 mm, in diameter, with a shallow hole in the centre, 3 mm, in diameter.		33	buff	1	33(

#### PART SECOND

#### FIGURED STAMPS AND OTHER MARKS

#### WITH INDEX TO THE PLATES

#### PLATE I

VIEW of the Aurelian Wall on the east side of the Porta San Giovanni, which may be seen in the distance.

The leaning tower in the foreground is the fifth from the gate, and is, according to A. Nibby,<sup>1</sup> Honorian (cf. p. 11, above). The two patches of plaster of Paris which have been placed quite recently upon the front of it, as well as the two on the visible side of the fourth tower, lie across fissures in the old brick-work and are intended to give notice of any widening of those fissures in the towers by cracking themselves under the strain so produced.

The picture shows the west end of the breach, which extends eastward as far as the next, sixth, tower, and has a width of 29.7 m. or 100 Roman feet. The view has been so chosen as to show also the passage in the wall at this point, some coarse modern masonry of repair to the right of it, and below on the ground a heap of broken bricks, in which were found some of the stamps described in this paper.

The site of the breach, looking northeastward, may also be seen in pl. vii, 1, of Richter's *Topographie von Rom* (1901). It lies between the second tower from the left and the third, the former being the leaning tower mentioned above.

							PLATE II 2							
1.	This	stamp	is	List	No.	225		10.	This	stamp	$\mathbf{is}$	List	No.	227
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3.	••	••	••	••	••	229		12.	••	••	••	••	••	215
4.	••	••	••	••		57		13.	••	••	••		••	147
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6.	••	••	••	••	••	$\underline{226}$		15.	••	••	••	••	••	270
7.	••	••	••		••	196		16.	••	••	••		••	230
8.	••	••	••	••	••	224		17.	••		••		••	217
9.	••	••	••	••	••	179		18.	••	••	••	••	••	231

<sup>1</sup> Le Mura di Roma, Rome, 1820, p. 358: "Dopo l' Anfiteatro siegue una cortina del secolo XVI, e quindi una torre diruta, la quale come quasi tutto questo tratto di mura fino alla porta Lateranense, o di San Giovanni mostra l'epoca Onoriana. Infatti di Onorio ravvisansi le tre torri seguenti ridotte oggi a contrafforti, egualmente che le cortine annesse; la quarta ridotta pur in sostegno è del secolo XV; la quinta è dello stesso secolo, la cortina dopo questa riconoscesi ristaurata nel secolo XVII come replicatamente risarcita nel secolo XII, XII e XVI è la sesta torre. La cortina seguente porta l'iscrizione: Iulius III Pont. Max. Onoriane sono le due torri successive [the first of these is the fifth from the gate] colle annesse cortine; la torre seguente è diruta, e ridotta come contrafforte : le due ultime sono state ristaurate, e rinfiancate ne' secoli XVI e XVII ed è sotto queste che si veggono gl'indizi di opera reticolata del prosegnimento dello speco Ottaviano [cf. R. Lanciani, I comentarii di Frontino, Atti della R. Accademia dei Lincei, Serie III; Memorie, vol. IV (1880), p. 265] del quale si è ragionato di sopra."

<sup>2</sup> The illustrations on PLATES II-X show the objects in very nearly one-third of their actual size, and the photographs of them were taken (one plate at a time) with the source of light in front of the observer, the objects being always at the same distance from the camera. When dimensions are not expressly given, they may, therefore, be easily determined.

List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	Average Thickness MM,	Color	Νο. Γουνι
	III	The objects represented on PLAIE III bear no letters, excepting Nos. 10, 12, 11, 15, and possibly No. 3.				
337	1	Fragment of a figure at the right.		31	brown	1
338	2	Nearly identical with No. 1 on this PLATE.		33, 34	brown	2
339	3	$\Lambda$ round stamp. The indistinct marks may be letters.	50	28	brown	1
840	-1	Nearly identical with No. 2 on this PLATE, but better preserved. One brick is 10 mm. thick.		30-34	buff, red, or brown	16
341	5	The figure contains four leaves producing a cross.		30, 32	brown	2
342	ti				buff	1
343	7			26-28	red or brown	5
344	8	Apparently a small circle enclosing coarse dots.	9+) 1)-)	32	brown	1
345	9	$\Lambda$ four-sided figure with a disk at the upper corner.		-213	brown	1
	10	List No. 71. Cf. p. 7, note 1, and Disk Waring, pl. xxviii, 25.	-28			
346	11	The little figures in this stamp are not letters: they are in relief. One brick has a uniformly varying thick- ness of 26-37 mm.: it is slightly wedge-shaped.	90	27_30	brown, red, or buff	12
	12	List No. 77.				
347	13	Cf. Inser. Grave, IV, p. 190, 53; Waring, pl. xxxviii, 19-22.		38	red	1
	14	List No. 223. The figures may represent paterae or shields. Compare PLATE VI. 4 (List No. 388); Rostow- zew, pl. vi. 9; Fabretti, p. 70; Cumont, H. p. 118.	49, 21			
	15	List No. 234. Regarding the fylfot, cf. p. 7, note 2,				
	IV	No stamp on this PLATE has any letters, except pos- sibly No. 3.				
348	1			33	buff	1
349	2	A rectangular stamp; beside it four dots in a line. Compare No. 20 on this PLATE.		28, 35	red	្ឋ
350	3	A rectangular stamp with ornamental edge. It may contain letters, but none could be read with certainty.		29	brown	1

List No.	Plate	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	IV	Continue. <sup>1</sup> .				
351	4	A large impressed disk with holes at the margin. Cf. Fabretti, p. 65, No. 4; C.I.L. VI, No. 25472; Seure, Bull, Corr. Hell, XXVIII (1904), p. 217, fig. 14.		39	red	1
352	ō	$\Lambda$ disk and a fragment of an ornamental rectangular stamp over it.		27	buff	1
353	ប់	This stamp has a nude human figure in relief. It is inverted on the PLATE because not understood when photographed.		<u>3-</u>	brown	1
354	7	$\Lambda$ circle with short marginal dashes or coarse dots.		34	buff	1
ి - ప్రిసిసి	8	Apparently a square ornamental stamp with a coarse dot at the middle of each side. Possibly inverted.	1	28-32	buff, red, or brown	
856	- <u>9</u>	Disks with dots. Cf. Inser. Grave, IV, p.189, Nos. 32, 37, 38.		27-30	brown	1
357	10	$\Lambda$ disk with three marginal dots. Cf. List No. 356.		30	brown	1
358	11	$\Lambda$ disk with at least two marginal dots. Cf. List No. 356.		82	brown	1
359	12			25, 30	buff	2
360	13	Two concentric circles enclosing a central dot and sur- rounded by six others placed in a regular hexagon. Cf. p. 7, note 2, b; Waring, pls. xxx, 4, xl. 2; Greg, Archaco- logia, XLVIII, 2 (1855), pl. xxi, 'Solar symbols'; Good- year, pl. xxxviii (fr. Salzmann); Sacken, pl. xxiv, 9.	21	26	red	1
361	14	Fragment of a figure in dots.		28	buff	1
362	15	The ornamental figure contains a cross.		38	red	. 1
363	16	An impressed disk with a central dot, surrounded by seven dots. Compare No. 13 on this PLATE.		28	brown	1
364	17	The upper figure (a shield?) is in relief.		28	red	1
365	18	$\Lambda$ circle with coarse marginal dots. Cf. List No. 351.		29	brown	1
366	19			45	red	1
	20	The same kind of stamp as No. 2 on this PLATE.		32	brown	1
367	21			36	red	1

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List No.	Plate	REMARKS	Diameter MM,	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Found
	v	No stamp on this PLATE has any letters.				
368	1	This stamp is very much like No. 2 on this PLATE.		28	brown	1
369	2	This stamp is very much like No. 1 on this PLATE.		-40	brown	2
370	3	A star with six rays in relief, or possibly a Christ monogram, XP combined, the P being indistinct. See p. 7, notes 1 and 2, and compare C.I.L. No. 1729; Rostow- zew, pls. ix, 66, x, 63; Richter, pp. 17, 20, 21; K. O. Muller, H. Beil, 2, pl. xvii, 28; Palest, Explor, 1902, pp. 335, 336, 'Potters' marks'; Kraus, H. pp. 412–416, 224–238, 133–115 and fig. 135; Cunnont, H. figs. 257, 258, 293; Marucchi, Not. gén. pp. 161–166; De Rossi, Museo Pio-Lat. pl. xix, 7; Wilpert, Roma sott, text, pp. 118, 182; Mortillet, fig. 58; Couze, Anjänge, pl. vii; Waring, pls. vi, 83, xxxxiv, 22.		23	red	1
	4	See No. 10 on this PLATE, which is a more complete stamp of the same kind.		27	red, brown	2
371	õ	The upper part of this stamp resembles the upper part of No. 11 on this PLATE and the fragmentary lower part of PLATE VII. 4 (List No. 406). Compare $C.I.L.$ No.1613; Kraus, II, figs. 126, 138, 155 and others: Good- year, pl. lxiii, 5. About the two disks with a central hole or dot, which may represent paterae or shields, see p. 7. notes 1 and 2; compare the figure in List Nos. 79, 96, and Rostowzew, pl. vi. 62.		33	red	1
372	6	A star with eight rays in relief. Compare p. 7, note 2, a and b; Cohen, III, pl. xv, 200 and others: Cumont, H, figs. 8, 246, 293; <i>Bull. Corr. Hell.</i> XX111 (1899), pl. i: Tylor, <i>Archaeologia</i> , XLVIII, 1 (1884), pp. 241–241, pl. xii, fig. 5; Kraus, H. p. 251; Baeei, <i>Buil. Crist.</i> VIII (1902), p. 128, and Wilpert, <i>ibid.</i> p. 10, fig. 5, a; Wilpert, <i>Roma sott.</i> text. p. 183, fig. 17, and pls. No. 22; Conze, <i>Anfänge.</i> pls. vii, viii; Masner, pl. i, 31; Waring, pl. v. 67, a; Worsaae, fig. 151, c. f; Wood-Martin, fig. 390.		28, 35	red	2
373	7	1		27	brown	1
374	8	A star with six rays. See No. 3 on this PLATE.		24	brown	1
375	9	Resembles a palmette. Compare the upper part of Nos. 5 and 11 on this PLATE, and see references for the former: also the fragmentary lower part of PLATE VII, 1 (List No. 406), and PLATE 111, 5 (List No. 341).		30	red	1

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List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	V	Continued.				
376	10	The same kind of stamp as No. 1 on this PLATE, but more complete, though less perfect in some parts.		27	red	1
377	11	This stamp resembles No. 5 on this PLATE. See references given for that. The round figures may represent paterae, or shields.		31	red, brown	2
378	12	$\Lambda$ small impressed figure at the bottom of the specimen.		28	brown	1
379	13			30	red	1
380	14	A square combined with two disks. One of these shows between the square hole in the centre and the outer margin two pairs of delicate concentric circles in relief. Compare PLATE VI, 8 (List No. 392), which they resemble; also Rostowzew, pl. vi, 62, and p. 7, notes 1 and 2, above.		37-38	brown	1
381	15			28	brown	1
382	16	Compare No. 11 on this PLATE.		28	brown	1
383	17	A large circle enclosing five groups (arranged like a cross) of small concentric circles. Compare C.I.L. XV, ii, 1, p. 860, pp; Waring, pl. xxxiv, 2; Keller, pl. cxl, 3.		30	$\operatorname{red}$	1
384	18	There are two figures, at least, one shaped like a regular hexagon, the other a set of three concentric circles. For the latter compare PLATE VI, 4, 6, 16, 18 (List Nos. 388, 390, 100, 102), and the references given for them.		30, 31	buff, red	2
		No stamp on this PLATE has any letters. Nos. 1-5, 8-15, and 17 may represent paterae, or shields: cf. p. 7,				
		notes 1 and 2.				i 
385	1	An impressed disk (patera, or shield?). Compare the large figure in No. 4 on this PLATE, and the references given for it; also Rostowzew, pl. vi, 9.	60	31	buff	1
386	2	Two disks with concentric circles. Compare the large figure in No. 4 on this PLATE: Rostowzew, pl. vi. 9; 1880, Bull. di Paleta, It. XV (1889), pl. i.		32	brown	1

List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	VI	Continued.		1		
387	3	An impressed ring with a small one in the centre. Compare Nos. 4, 5 on this PLATE, <i>Inser. Genev.</i> 1V, p. 190, 19, and <i>Hanteeian Roman Stones</i> , pl. viii, fig. 4.	27	34	brown	1
388	4	A large and a small round stamp, apparently identical with the figures in PLATE H1, 14 (List No. 223). The latter consists of two concentric circles with a round hole or coarse dot in the centre; compare List Nos. 198, 203, and 213 (resembling Marini, No. 1219). which have likewise a point enclosed by two concentric circles in the centre; also Kraus, II, figs. 128, 141, 169; <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, ii, 1, pl. iii, 16; <i>Honterian Roman Stones</i> , pl. viii, 1; Smith, H (1852), pl. xlv (ii). HI (n.d.), pl. xii, 2, 5; Conze, <i>Anfänge</i> , pl. i, 1, 2; Waring, pls. xxvi, 340, xxviii, 18, 23; Evans, figs. 110, 112, 166; Und- set, fig. 22, pl. v, 1; Dryden, <i>Archaeologia</i> , XLVIH, 2 (1885), pl. xxiii, 2; <i>Mykenische Vasen</i> , pls. c, 37, xliii (431); <i>Olympia</i> , IV, pl. xxxi, 591; Wide, <i>Athen. Mitth</i> , XXII (1897), p. 241; Sacken, pls. xi, 3, xv, 5; Keller, pl. exl, 1; Wood-Martin, figs. 15, 76, 79, 272, 394–396; Ghirardini, <i>Monum. ant</i> , VII (1897), fig. 3, <i>a</i> ; Boni, <i>Noticie degli Scavi</i> , 1903, p. 163, fig. 43; Mnnro, <i>Lake- dwellings</i> , figs. 109, 162, and others. The former looks as if three concentric disks of vary- ing diameter had been impressed to different depths, Compare Fabretti, pp. 63–70; Cumont, H, p. 814; Wood- Martin, fig. 15; Munro, <i>Prehist, Scotland</i> , fig. 143. Similar stamps not figured.	52, 19 46, 47	36 30, 26	buff	2
389	5	A circular stamp. Compare Nos. 3 outer circle, and 4 on this PLATE. A similar stamp not represented.	39 ea. 38	31 42	brown red	1
390	G	A round stamp, consisting of four concentric circles around a hole in the centre. Compare Fortunati, p. 65, No. 87; Mortillet, fig. 33; Waring, pls. iv, 55, xxvii, 2, 3, 6, xxviii, 19, 20, 22; Evans, figs. 458, 509; Undset, pls. xxvi, 17, xxviii, 1; Greg. Archaeologia, XLVIH, 2 (1885), pl. xx, one of figs. 7; Kraus, II, fig. 169; Olympia, IV, pls. xxxi, xxxiii; Goodyear, pls. xvi, 3, lvi, 13, lvii, 14-16; Wood-Martin, fig. 15; Issel, Bull. di Paletn. It. XV (1889), pl. i.	50	39	hrown	1
391	7	A small impressed disk. Compare the figure in List Nos. 74, 75, and the remarks under List No. 409.	ea. 17	34	brown	1
		Similar stamps not figured.	19	28.31	brown	2

List No.	' I'LATE	REMARKS	DIAMETER MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Fount
	VI	Continued.				
392	8	A large disk with a large round hole in the centre. Between the latter and the outer margin are two pairs of delicate concentric circles in relief. Compare PLATE V. 14 and 16; Rostowzew, pl. vi, 62; Evans, fig. 461; Montelius, <i>Temps prehist</i> , fig. 108, <i>a</i> .	58	37	brown	1
393	9	A round stamp. Compare No. 1 on this PLATE.	ea. 36	31	buff	1
394	10	An impressed disk with a round hole in the centre.	35	ea. 30	red	1
		Compare PLATE V. 5, 11 (List Nos. 371, 377). A similar stamp not represented. A similar stamp not represented. Similar stamps not represented.	$\begin{array}{c} 80\\ 42\\ 44 \end{array}$	${34\atop {36}\atop {28=31}}$	red brown brown	1 1 3
895	11	Two round stamps. Compare the large figure in No. 4 on this PLATE and the references given for it.	46, 43	28	brown	1
8911	12	A large improved circle with a round hole or coarse dot in the centre. Perhaps a patera, cf. p. 7, notes I and 2. Compare K. O. Muller, pl: vi, 9: Conway, II, table: $\theta, \phi; C.I.L.$ No. 1660. <i>a</i> (List No. 233?): Marini, Nos. 1191, 1202, 1203, 1206, 1215; Rostowzew, pls. iii, 12, vi, 39, x, 13; Smith, II (1852), pls. xli, 4, liv. 5, lvi, 3, III (n.d.), pl. xii; II. Sehmidt, pl. viii, 5283; Conze, Aufinge, pl. x, 1; Waring, pl. iv, 63; Evans, figs, 137, 138; Undset, xxiv, 6; Greg, Archaeologia, XLVIII, 2 (1885), pl. xxi, *Solar Symbols'; Olympia, IV, xx, 333; Goodyear, pp. 81–85, fig. 54; Sacken, pls. xviii, 24, xix, 4–6; Wood-Martin, figs, 15, 79, 80, 174, p. 535; Borlase, II, figs, 313, 322, and table, p. 312; Munro, Prehist, Scotl. figs, 140, 142, and pl. iv, 1 and II; Wilpert, Roma sott, pls., No, 28; Palest, Explor, 1904, Oct., pl. iii, 1. Similar stamps not represented.	50 са. 50	35	buff buff.	1
397	13	Three round stamps. Compare the small figure in No. I on this PLATE, the round figures in PLATE V, 5.	26, 38, 24	31	red	1
398	 !-∔	Round holes and groups of two concentric circles. Regarding the latter, compare Smith, VII (1880), p. 196, pl. xix, 6; Evans, figs, 139, 141; Undset, pl. v, 1; Sacken, pl. xviii, 25; Mykenische Vasen, pl. xliii (131); Greg, Archaeologia, XLVIII, 2 (1885), pl. xx, figs, 2 and 26, a; Kraus, II, figs, 118, 134, 169; Worsaae, fig, 150, d; Wood-Martin, fig. 395; Ghirardini, Monum, ant, VII (1897), fig. 15, b; Schested, pl. xxvii, 19, a, A similar stamp less complete.	24	27	red buff	1

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List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Found
	VI	Continued.				
399	15	Three concentric circles around a small hole or coarse- dot in the centre. Compare the small figure in No. 4. No. 6, the lower figure in No. 16 on this PLATE, and the references given for them; also <i>C.I.L.</i> No. 1578, <i>a</i> , which has a similar figure in the centre; Clermont- Ganneau, II, p. 476; Conze, <i>Anjunge</i> , pl. x. 4; <i>Olympia</i> , IV, pl8, xxxi-xxxiii; Wood-Martin, figs. 15, 390, 396, 402, and 409 (7); Montelius, <i>Sculptures</i> , fig. 26; Issel, <i>Bull. di Paleta, It.</i> XV (1889), pl. i.	30	30	brown	1
400	16	Two round stamps: the lower one has five con- centric rings; compare Nos. 6 and 18 on this PLATE, and the references given for the former: also Smith, 111 (n.d.), p. 139, Nos. 3, 4, 1V (1857), pl. xxv. 3, and VII (1880), p. 175; Waring, pls. i, 11, a, iv, 55, 62, xxvii, 2, 3, 6, 7, xxviii, 20, 22; Mycenae, No. 103; Evans, fig, 429; Goodyear, fig, 46, pl. lvii, 4, 6, 15, 16; Wood-Martin, figs, 84, 267; Munro, Perkist, Scotland, figs, 138, 111, 112, pl. iv, 2; Keller, pl. clxxxix, 2; — the upper one has a double spiral; compare Mycenae, Nos. 114, 117, 149 and others, pl. viii, 30; Mykenische Vasen, pls. xxix, xxvi; Barnabei, Monum. ant, 1V (1894), fig, 103; Munro, op. cit, fig, 137.	52, 42	31	brown	1
401	17	A round stamp with concentric zones at different level. Compare the large figure in No. 1 on this PLATE.	25	:13	buff	1
$\frac{1}{402}$	18	A round stamp consisting of five concentric circles at equal intervals enclosing a round central hole. Compare No. 6 and the lower figure in No. 16 on this PLATE, and the references: also Montelius. <i>Sculptures</i> , figs. 29, 33.	ca. 50	30	buff	1
		Similar stamps not represented.	44, 46, 47, 48	30_33 and 42	buff, red. or brown	
	VII	No stamp on this PLATE has any letters. Nos. 1-3 and 6-8 may represent paterae, or shields; cf. p. 7, notes 1 and 2.				
403	1	A circular stamp. Compare PLATE VI, I (List No. 385), the large figure in PLATE VI, I (List No. 388), and the references given for the latter: PLATE VI, 11 (List No. 395); Vaglieri, Bull, Com. XXXI (1993), p. 43.	39	26	brown	1
		A similar stamp not represented.		-3Q	brown	1

List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	- No. Founi
	VII	Continued.				
404	2	A large and a small circular stamp. Compare PLATES 111, 11, and VI, 4, and the references given for them. Similar stamps not represented.	44, 19	39 26, 37	buff	1
405	3	A small impressed circle with a central dot. Compare PLATE VI, 12 (List No. 396), No. 7 on this PLATE, and the references given for them; also Rostowzew, pl. xii, 4.	$\frac{40, 16}{18}$	29	brown red	$\frac{2}{1}$
		Similar stamps not represented.	15	30–31	red or brown	3
406	-1	A round hole, a small disk, and a large disk. Under the large disk is a part of a figure with spirals (pal- mette?). Compare PLATE V. 5, 9, 11 (List Nos. 371, 375, 377), and the references given for them. Stamps not represented, consisting only of an im- pressed disk like the large one in this stamp. Com- pare the figure in List Nos. 74 and 75. Two other stamps not represented, each consisting of three disks. The largest,	ca. 23–26 25–26	26-31 35, 44	red, buff, or brown buff or brown	5
407	5	A square stamp that consists of grating, about 25 × 25 mm. Probably the kind referred to by P. Crostarosa ( <i>Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist.</i> 11 (1896), p. 59, No. 18) as a "specie di gratella anepigrafa." Compare <i>Palest. Explor.</i> 1902, pp. 335, 336. 'Potters' marks,' 2; Taramelli, <i>Monum. ant.</i> 1X (1899), p. 139, fig. 60; Smith, H (1852), pls. liii, 7, liv, 5; Miln, B, pl. xi, 3; S. Muller, I, fig. 81, j.		25	red	1
408	6	A circle with a round hole in the centre. See p. 7, note 1, and compare PLATE VI, 12 (List No. 396), No. 7 on this PLATE, and the references given for them. Other similar stamps not represented consisting of a large circle only. See p. 7, note 1.	23 ca. 18-22	29 27-30	brown brown	1
409		Three small circular stamps. See p. 7, note 1, com- pare Nos. 2, 3, 6, on this PLATE, PLATE VI, 12 (List No. 396), and the references given for the last. Any stamp like one of these might be the figure de- scribed vaguely by P. Crostarosa as a "piccolo tondo," Nuovo Bull. di Archeol. Crist. VII (1901), p. 136, No. 42.		35	buff	1
410	8	An impressed disk with a round hole in the centre. Compare PLATE V. 5 (List No. 371), and the references given for it, especially Rostowzew, pl. vi, 62.	34	35	brown	1
		Similar stamps not represented.	26, 27, 28	26-29	buff or brown	3

List No,	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Found
	VII	Continued.		1		
411	9	An impressed disk; in its centre a slight depression. Compare PLATE V, 5 (List No. 371), and the references for it; also PLATES V, 11, and V1, 10, 13. Similar stamps not represented.	$37\frac{1}{2}$	29 26-33	brown red or	
		Shinar saaniys not represented.		20-00	brown	0
412	10	A large impressed disk enclosed by a more deeply impressed circle, perhaps accidental. Compare No. 13 on this PLATE.	67	31	buff	1
		Another similar figure not represented.	46		buff	1
413	11	An unusual circular stamp.		23	red	1
414	12	A reticulated surface. The sides of each little square = 7-9 mm. Probably the kind of stamp described by P. Crostarosa as a "specie di reticolato seuza iscrizione," Nuovo Bull, di Archeol. Crist. H (1896), p. 74, No. 84. A common ornamental pattern, painted or incised, of ancient pottery and stucco. Compare Conze, Melische Thongefässe, pl. ii; Waring, pl. ii, 26; Mykenische Vasen, pls. xxii, 159, xxiv, 183, a, and others; Mykenische Thonge- füsse, pl. v, 24; Goodyear, pls. xlviii, 5, 1, 14; Wilpert, Roma sott., pls., No. 201; Quagliati, Not. Scari, 1902, p. 584.				
415	13	Several impressed circles, possibly in part accidental. Compare No. 10 on this PLATE; K. O. Müller, Beil, 2, pl: 9 and 16, or Conway, II, table : $\sigma$ ; Waring, pls. xii, 157, xxviii, 25, xxxviii, 1, 7; Wood-Martin, figs. 15, 391–396.	27	30	red	1
416	14	A large impressed circle, possibly accidental. Com- pare Nos. 10 and 13 on this PLATE. Another similar figure.	ea. 60	34 31	brown brown	1
417	15	An unusual little stamp, about 27 mm. long.		20-26	red or brown	3
418	16	A striated rectangle in relief, about 35 mm, wide, with a round depression near one end.		30	red	1
	VIII	About the dotted figures and letters, cf. p. 7, notes 1 and 2.	·			
419	1	A cross of coarse dots. Compare PLATE IX, 2, and C.I.L. XV, 1, No. 1731, b, which is the figure recorded by L. Fortunati, op. cit. p. 19, No. 43; K. O. Muller, Beil, 2, pl: xv, 31, ii, 25, and others; Richter, pp. 8, 10, and 41; Ghirardini, Monum. ant. VII (1897), pl. ii, 6, 10.		29	brown	1

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List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	VIII	Continued.				
420	<u></u>	Two dotted letters, perhaps 1 or $N$ , and $C$ or $G$ ; a point between them. The second is 43 mm, high. Compare p. 7, note 1.		30	buff	1
421		A dotted letter <b>E</b> , about 41 mm, high. Compare No. 4 on this PLATE and the references for it.		35	brown	1
422		Three dotted letters, $?^{\dagger}\Gamma E N$ , $32-37$ mm, high. Compare Richter, p. 9, No. 5, <i>a</i> , p. 10, Nos. 16, 19, and p. 40; Marriott, pp. 63, 71; Conway, II, table.		30-33	buff	1
423	õ	Probably two letters: $V$ and $Y$ . Compare Zvetaieff, Plates, p. 'Formae,'21 and 18; Conway, II, table; $\hat{u}$ and $t$ ; Richter, p. 15, Nos. 2, 3, 6, and p. 42; Marriott, p. 63.		32-35	buff	1
424	6	A rectangle, $61 \times 34$ mm., with five dots within, like a domino, and with traces below of an adjoining figure with scrolls. Compare No. 15 on this PLATE.		35	brown	1
425	7	A forked figure in dots. The greatest horizontal width is about 51 nm. Compare Nos. 11 and 5 on this PLATE: Conway, H. table : <i>ii</i> ; Masner, p. 84, Nos. 773-776, and plate ; <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, ii, 1, pl. iii, 22; Rostowzew, pl. ix, 76.		37	brown	1
	8	A round stamp with letters: List No. 233.				
426	9	A figure like a sistrum. Compare Athen. Mitth. XXIV (1899), p. 387. No. 10 on this PLATE, and PLATE IX, 18,		30	brown	1
427	10	A dotted figure like a trident, about 108 mm. high. Compare Nos. 13 and 9 on this PLATE. A very similar figure is given by Fortunati, p. 19, No. 41. The same design, in lines instead of dots, occurs among the stone-masons' marks figured by A. Sogliano, <i>Notizie degli Scari</i> , 1898, p. 69, and 1901, pp. 357–361; similar ones are mentioned by Richter, p. 15 (7, 8), and Marriott, pp. 65–69. Compare also K. O. Muller, Beil, 2, pl: v, 28 and 29; Greg, <i>Archaeologia</i> , XLV111, 2 (1885), pl. xxi, 'Water' and 'Water Symbols.'		33	brown	1
428	11	A forked figure nearly identical with No. 7 on this PLATE. See the references given there. Both bricks have also a small circular stamp in the same relative position. Compare the latter with the small figure in PLATE VI, 4 (List No. 388), and the references.		34	buff	
_	12	List No. 146. The figure is inverted, as the stamp was not understood until photographed.				

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List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	DIAMETER MM.	AVERAGE THICKNESS MM.	Color	No. Founi
	VIII	Continued.				I
429	13	Part of a dotted figure like a trident. Compare this PLATE, Nos. 9 and 10, and see references for the latter. Width of top about 40 mm.		(, (. 	brown	1
		Other similar stamps not represented.		29-35	red, buff, or brown	4
130	14	Part of a figure in dots: a vessel with base (?).		29	buff	1
431	15	A rectangle, $31 \times 51$ mm., with five little impressed disks within, like a domino. Another figure with scrolls seems to be added at the upper end. Perhaps the same kind of stamp as No. 6 on this PLATE, but a little smaller. Compare K. O. Muller, H. Beil, 2, pl: xv, 31.		:37	brown	1
_	IX	About the dolted figures, cf. p. 7, notes 1 and 2.	0			
432	1	Many parallel incised lines close together.		30	red	1
433	2	A cross in dots. Compare C.I.L. XV, 1, No. 1731, b, which is the figure recorded by Fortunati, p. 19, No. 13; also PLATE VIII, 1 (List No. 419), and W. Dennison, Amer. Journ. Arch. IX (1905), pp. 19, 32–43.		27-30	brown	1
434	3	A dotted figure: tree, arrow-head, or grapes (?). Com- pare C.I.L. XV, ii, 1, p. 860, mmm, nmr; Waring, pl. vi, 88; Kraus, H. figs, 126, 536; Armellini, Ant. Cim. p. 151.		29	brown	1
135	4	Fragment of a dotted figure, perhaps a cross. Com- pare Nos, I3 and 2 on this PLATE; PLATE VIII, 1, and the references given for it; Ghirardini, <i>Monum. ant.</i> VII (1897), pl. ii, 13.		30	buff	1
436	õ	A dotted figure. Compare Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 13 on this PLATE, and the references given for them.		24-28	buff	1
	6	A lettered stamp: List No. 232. The letters are too much worn to be read.		-		
	7	A lettered stamp: List No. 76.				1
437	8	Fragment of a figure in dots.		84	red	1
438	9	A cross in dots beside an impressed circle with a central dot. Compare No. 2 on this PLATE, and the references given for it; <i>C.I.L.</i> XV, ii, 1, p. 860, <i>nn</i> ; PLATE VI, 12 (List No. 396), and the references for it.	4.5	30	red	1

List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	HAMETER MM.	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	IX	Continued.				
439	10	A circular stamp and a fragment of a figure in dots. Compare PLATE VI, 1 (List No. 388), and the references.		32	buff	1
	11	$\Lambda$ lettered stamp: List No. 222.				
440	12	Fragment of a figure in dots.		32	brown	1
	13	Fragment of a figure in dots, apparently identical with No. 4 on this PLATE. See the references there.		32	buff	1
441	14	<ul> <li>Five coarse dots, 7–9 mm, in diameter, arranged like a cross. Compare K. O. Muller, 11, Beil, 2, pl; xv, 31;</li> <li>Ghirardini, Monum, ant. VH (1897), pl, ii, 6; Crostarosa, Bull. Crist. V (1899), p. 276, No. 20; Inser. Graec. IV, p. 188, 20; Sacken, pl, ix, 3; Keller, pl, cxl, 5.</li> </ul>		28	brown	1
442	15	Fragment of a figure in dots.		30-32	brown	1
443	16	Three coarse dots, 7–9 mm. in diameter, arranged in a triangle. Compare K. O. Muller, pl: xix, xx, 31; Ghirar- dini, <i>Monum. ant.</i> VH (1897), pl. ii, 5, <i>a</i> and <i>b</i> ; Krans, 11, figs. 111, 151, 162; Schested, pls. xxvi, 16, <i>a</i> , xxvii, 19, <i>a</i> , 20.		32	brown	1
444	17	A small impressed circle with a central dot, surrounded by four dots arranged in a square. Compare $C.I.L.$ XV, i. No. 1591, $c$ ; Smith, II (1852), pl. xliv, 5.		30	red	1
445	18	Fragment of a figure in dots, somewhat like PLATE VIII, 9 (List No. 426). Compare also List No. 427.		35-40	red	1
446	19	Fragment of a figure in dots, resembling PLATE VIII, 7 (List No. 425). See the references given there.		31_33	buff	1
447	20	Little holes, or coarse impressed dots, 5–7 mm. in diameter, arranged in a circle, one being in the middle. Compare C.I.L. XV, i, No. 1579, a (List No. 201); Smith, II (1852), pl. xliv, 7; Conze, Melische Thongefässe, pl. i, 3, iii, or Goodyear, pl. lx, 8; Conze, Anfänge, pl. x, 4; Waring, pls. viii, 99, xi, 143, 117, xxxvii, 14, xliv, 22, Mycenae, No. 284; Olympia, IV, pl. xix, 312; Ghirardini, Monum. ant. VII (1897), pl. ii, 8, 15; Issel, Bull. di Paletn. It. XV (1889), pl. i; Evans, fig. 287; Sehested, pl. xxxiii, 48; Inser. Graec. IV, p. 190, 46.		24, 25	brown	2
448	21	Three small disks, part of a larger figure? Compare of No. 16 on this PLATE, and Inser. Grace, IV, p. 186, 3,	va. 12–1:	;;;;;	buff	1

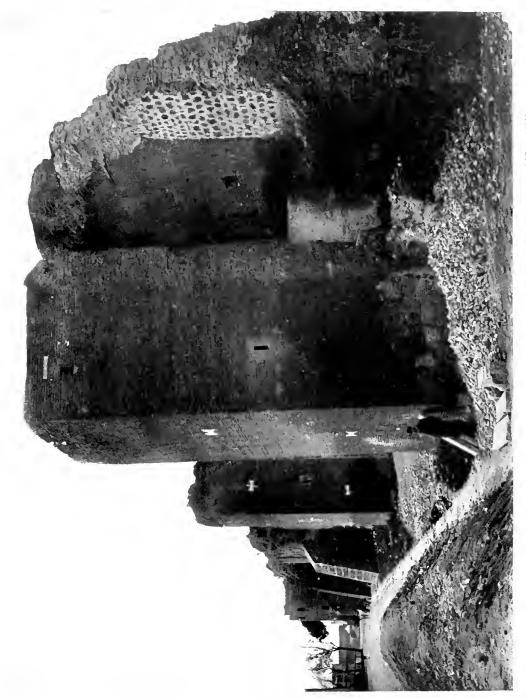
List No.	PLATE	REMARKS	Diameter MM.	AVERAGE THE KNESS MM.	Color	No. Fot nd
	x					
449	1	Three coarse concentric rings, pro- The outermost, bably drawn with the finger tips.	ea. 117	28	brown	1
450	2	Many dots in straight and curved lines. Compare Waring, pl. ix, 122; Munro, <i>Prehist. Scotl.</i> fig. 143.		31-39	brown	1
451	3	Dots arranged with some regularity, perhaps a letter. Compare K. O. Muller ( <i>Beil</i> , 2), pl: iii, 22, and others; Conway, II, table: $t$ : Borlase, II, fig. 313.		30	brown	1
452	4	A pahn-leaf, probably drawn with the finger tips. Some early Christian monograms similarly made are figured in Atti del 2 <sup>+</sup> Congresso internaz. di Archeol, Crist. Rome, 1903, by A. L. Delattre, Art. <sup>+</sup> La Croix, <sup>+</sup> pp. 185– 187, figs. 2–5 (the last two upside down). This fragment may have belonged to an early Chris- tian sepulchral tile, as the palm-leaf occurs very fre- quently with Christian inscriptions. Compare, for ex- ample, Inscriptiones Christianae urbis Romae, 1 (1857–61), p. 116, No. 982; Marucchi, Not. gen., p. 162; Wilpert, Nuovo Bull, di Archeol, Crist, VIII (1902), p. 6. But the palm-leaf was also much used on pogan Latin inscrip- tions, and on leaden tokens (Rostowzew, pls. i, 21, ii, 28, iv, 50). Compare Inscr. Grave, IV, p. 188, Nos. 24–26.		42	brown	1
453	5	Dots arranged in circles around a central dot. Com- pare PLATE IX, 20 (List No. 447) and the references.	ea. 44	32-3.	red	1
$\overline{454}$	6	Fragment of a figure in dots?		28	brown	1
455	7	Two coarse zig-zag lines, perhaps intended to represent water. See also 12 on this PLATE. A common symbol and ornament on ancient pottery. Compare, for example, Conze, Melische Thongefüsse, pl. i, I, ii, Anfänge, pl. iii, I, 5; Waring, pls. vii-ix and others; Evans, fig.32; Monum. Inediti, IX, pls. iv, xxxix. 1; Greg, Archatologia, XLVIII, 2 (1885), pl. xx, one of figs. 7, and pl. xxi · Water Symbols.' Wood-Martin, figs. 393, 401 (3, 4); Munro, Prehist. Scott. fig. 111. Zig- zags are an ideogram for water in Egyptian hieroglyphic writing; ef. Erman, p. 183 (N, 4), p. 181 (N, 55).		27-37	brown	1
$\overline{456}$	8	Two parallel lines of dots: fragments of a figure?		30-34	buff –	1
457	. 9	Numerous dots in lines : letters, or a figure ?		30	brown	1
458	10	Dots roughly arranged in concentric circles (?) Com- pare No. 5 on this PLATE; also PLATE IX, 20 (List No. 447), and the references for it.		87	red	1

LIST No.	PLATE	REMARKS	DIAMETER MM,	Average Thickness MM.	Color	No. Found
	x	Continued.				
459	11	Small and large dots, the former roughly arranged in a square? Compare Waring, pl. xliv, 22; Ghirardini, Monum. ant. VII (1897), pl. ii, 9; Conway, II, table: h.		36	brown	1
	12	Two coarse wavy lines, perhaps a pagan or early Christian symbol for water. Compare No. 7 on this PLATE (List No. 155), and the references given for it.		35	brown	1
461	13	Numerons dots in lines. Compare No.2 on this PLATE (List No. 150), and the references given for it.		34-35	buff	1
462	14	Dimensions $30 \times 50$ mm. The inner lines follow the outline of the stamp.		40-42	red, brown	2
463	15	Numerous dots arranged in the shape of a leaf or spear-head.		33	buff	1
464	16	Irregular coarse lines very probably accidental.				1

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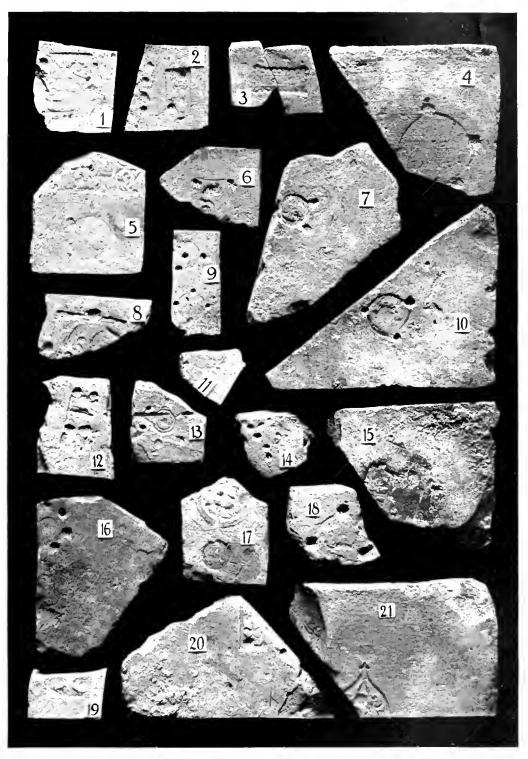
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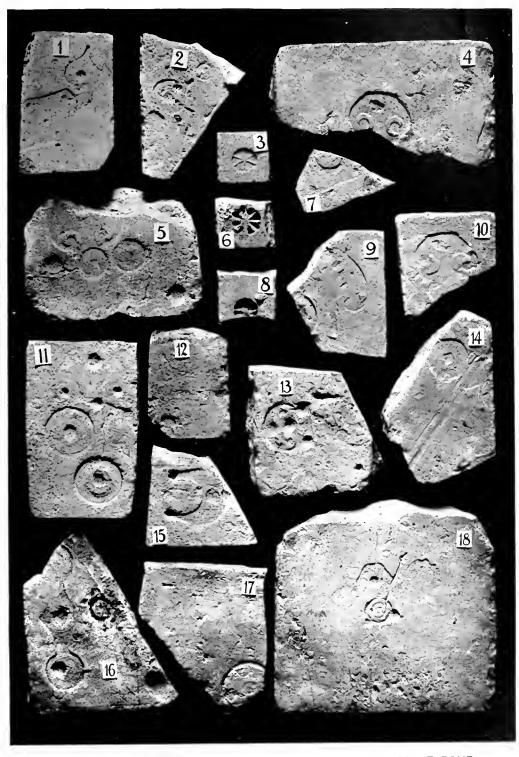
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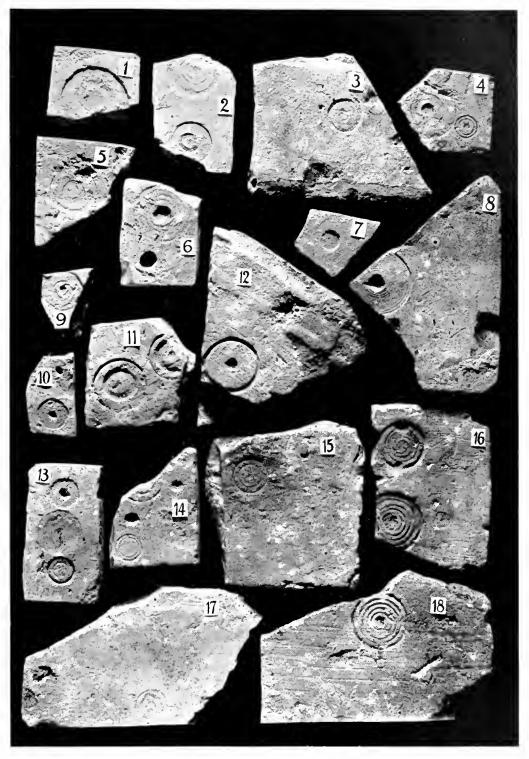
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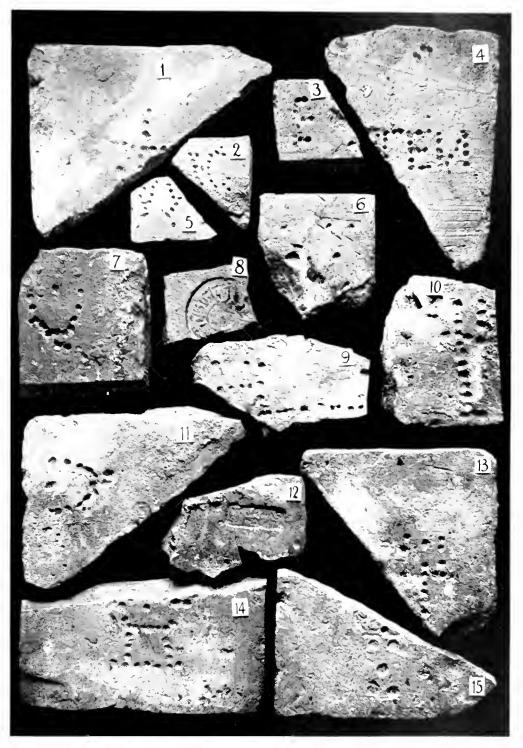
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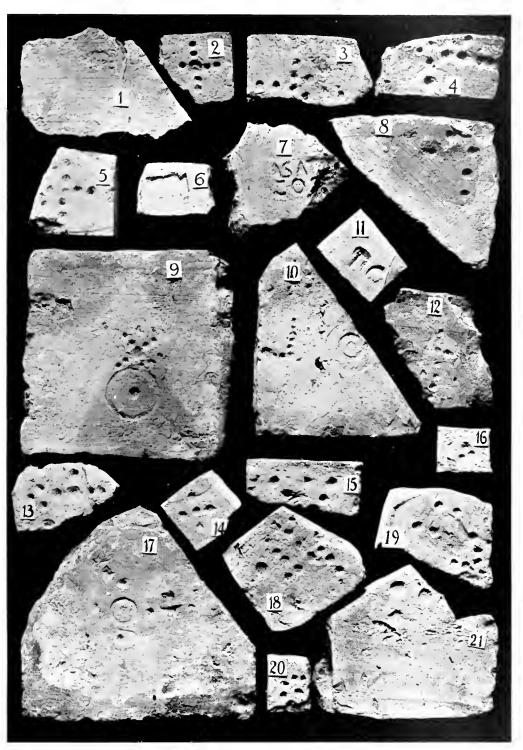
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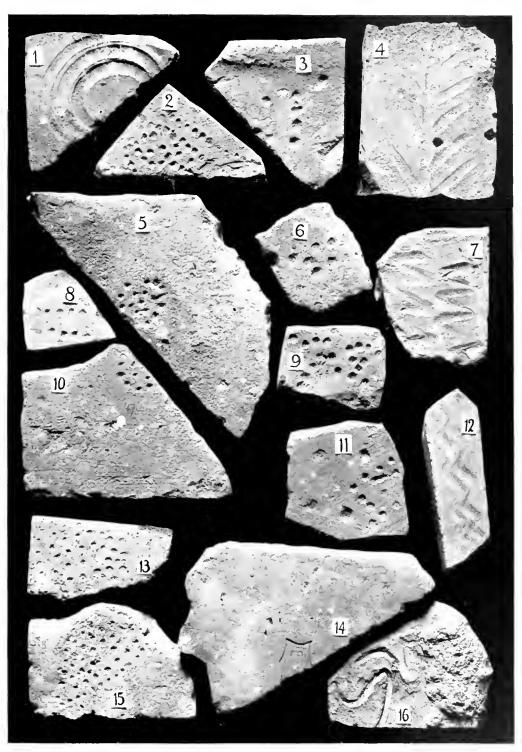
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### LA CIVITA NEAR ARTENA IN THE PROVINCE OF ROME

# [PLATES XI, XH]

THE remains of an ancient city which form the object of these researches are situated upon a lofty plateau at the northern extremity of the Volseian Mountains (now known as the Monti Lepini) at a distance of a mile or so from the village of Artena dei Volsci or Monte Fortino, as it was called till 1873. The ascent from the bottom of the village, involving as it does a steep elimb of some 1000 feet, takes as a rule about an hour. This plateau is known as the Piano della Civita ("the plateau of the old town "- for this is the constant meaning of Civita in Italy) and attains a maximum elevation of 632 m. (2073; feet) above sea-level. It is isolated on the east and west by deep ravines, and is connected only on the south side with the main range of hills; but even on this side the ground falls away rather sharply, except along a narrow neck, which is traversed by the path to Rocca Massima (identified by many topographers with the Arx Carventana of Livy (IV, 53, 55, 56), though there is no decisive evidence either positive or negative). The view is very fine and extensive, embracing the Alban Hills from Velletri to Roeca Priora, the Herniean Mountains and the valley of the Sacco, and a part of the Pomptine Marshes with the sea beyond. The site is, in fact, the last outpost to the north of the Volscian range, and projects a long way forward of it. (See Map of La Civita near Artena and Environs, PLATE XI.)

The distance from Rome to the modern village of Artena is only twenty-four miles as the crow flies, while by the Via Latina, which passes just below Artena to the north, it is twenty-seven; but the train-service is by no means good, while the village itself contains, as far as the senses can perceive, no decent night-quarters, and the virtue of cleanliness seems to be at a discount. An early start from Rome and a late return were found to give five hours at the most for work on the site, and often even less time was available. It will be obvious that these eircumstances have added considerably to the difficulties of our task; but perhaps the greatest disappointment was the discovery, made when the survey was already well in progress, that the site had been previously described, and a plan made, by M. René de la Blanchère (*Mélanges d'Archéologie et d'Histoire de l'École Française de Rome*, vol. I (1881), pp. 161–180, and plates iv, v). Further study proved, however, that his plan, although correct in its general outlines, was susceptible of improvement and amplification; while the description was eapable of being supplemented by a series of adequate illustrations, the single sketch of a fragment of the eity-wall (taken from the southern part of the west side) given by M. de la Blanchère being decidedly unsatisfactory. It was thought better, therefore, to complete the survey (see Plan, PLATE XII) and to publish the results.

The identification of the site with any of the ancient towns of the district, the names of which have been preserved to us, is not easy. De la Blanchère discusses the question at length and (p. 178) inclines to see in the name Monte Fortino, which belonged to the village in 1226 (Nibby, Analisi della Carta dei Dintorni di Roma, vol. I, p. 264, citing F. Contelori's history of the Conti family (Genealogia Familiae Comitum Romanorum, Rome, 1650), who were once its owners), a survival of the  $\Phi op\tau ucion$ , mentioned by Dionysius of Halicarnassus (V, 61) among the thirty cities which formed the Latin league in or about the year 384 B.C. (Mommsen, History of Rome, 1903, vol. I, p. 448); and he further identifies with them the Foretii, who occur in the list given by Pliny (N.H. III, 5; 69) of the peoples of Latium who, at the time at which he wrote, had utterly disappeared.

The modern name of the village is the result of the adoption of the theory of Gell (*Topography of Rome and its Vicinity*, p. 110) and Nibby (*op. eit.* p. 262). Artena is mentioned only once, by Livy (IV, 61):

"Artena inde. Volscorum oppidum, ab tribunis obsideri coepta. inde inter eruptionem temptatam conpulso in urbem hoste occasio data est Romanis inrumpendi, praeterque arcem cetera capta. in arcem munitam natura globus armatorum concessit, infra arcem caesi captique multi mortales. arx deinde obsidebatur : nec aut vi capi poterat, quia pro spatio loci satis praesidii habebat, aut spem dabat deditionis omni publico frumento, prinsquam urbs caperetur, in arcem convecto. Laedioque recessum inde foret, ni servus arcem Romanis prodidisset. ab eo milites per locum arduum accepti cepere : a quibus cum enstodes trucidarentur, cetera multitudo repentino pavore oppressa in deditionem venit, diruta et arce et urbe Artena reductae legiones ex Volscis, omnisque vis Romana Veios conversa est."

From this description it will be seen that Artena was a city having a citadel distinct from the rest of the town: but Nibby is wrong in believing that this is the case at La Civita. As de la Blanchère points out (p. 174), the great terrace (No. 11 on our Plan) cannot have been the arx. One might suppose that to have occupied the eminence to the north-northwest (which is connected with the rest of the hill only by a narrow neck) if it were not that this presents no traces of walls whatsoever, and would seem to have been omitted from the circuit of the city. It is precisely at this point that the road from the north entered it (No. 2 on the Plan).

Other names have been suggested: Ortona<sup>1</sup> (Liv. III, 30), Corbio (*ibid.*), which both seem to have been situated in the Alban Hills, and finally Eeetra, the position of which, as indicated in the classical authors, accords fairly well with that of the Piano della Civita (Liv. III, 4, 10; VI, 31. Dionys. IV, 49; X, 21). It seems to have been situated on the edge of the territory of the Volsci, and close to that of the Aequi, and also to have been on that side of the Volscian Hills which is closest to Algidus: both these features would agree with the site of La Civita. It was absolutely destroyed in 378 B.C., and Pliny enumerates it among the lost cities of Latium. It seems, therefore, at least possible to identify La Civita with Ecetra, though the similarity

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This place seems to be mentioned also by Dionysius (VIII, 91; X, 26), but in both cases the reading is doubtful (de la Blanchère, p. 176).

of the name Monte Fortino with that of the *Φορτινείοι* or *Foretii* has something to recommend it. But in either case, the statements of our classical authorities that these places were utterly destroyed would require to be taken cum grano; and it would perhaps be wiser to assume their correctness, and refuse to attempt to give a name to the place. For, in the present state of our knowledge, it must at once be said that it is quite impossible to assign a date to the remains we have before us. They consist of the circuit of the outer defensive walls, and of the remains of construetions in the interior, both for the most part built in what is variously known as the Pelasgic, Cyclopean, or polygonal style. There are, however, a few traces of concrete, faced with opus incertum, in situ, and numerous fragments of baked bricks and tiles are scattered over the site. The walls present, it is true, an extremely ancient appearance, being faced with boulders of the rough pale-grav limestone found upon the site itself, which as a rule is so stratified as to have a natural tendency to break into rectangular blocks. No traces of their having been worked or smoothed in any way are to be detected. They are laid without mortar, and the interstices are filled with smaller stones. The inner mass of the walls (which are as a rule embanking-walls, the only exception being at the northwest corner of the outer city-wall, between Nos. 2 and 20 on the Plan, PLATE XII) is made up of smaller stones and earth.

The primitiveness of the construction, and the fact that mortar is not employed, may be held to argue a certain antiquity. Compared with the circuit-walls of other towns of the neighborhood, those of La Civita are extremely rough and badly built; though, considering how very exposed the site is, the influence of the weather upon the stone should be taken into account. But whether they are pre-Roman or not is quite another question. The old theory that all polygonal walls are prehistoric hardly needs refutation: a day spent among the olive-clad slopes below Tivoli will reveal a sufficient number of terrace-walls obviously belonging to Roman villas to prove its absurdity: 1 not even the so-called ignorance of the principle of the arch, as displayed, for example, in the Porta Saraeinesca at Segni, can stand as a proof of high antiquity. Similar cases may be found in a drain passing through the substruction of the Via Appia at Itri; in another drain passing through an embankment of the Via Salaria, some thirty miles from Rome, which is known as Ponte del Diavolo (Annali dell'Instituto, 1834, p. 107); in a villa of the Roman period at Scauri, near Formia; and, finally, though on a far smaller scale, in a hypocaust-opening in a building discovered in 1902 in the Romano-British city of Caerwent (Venta Silurum), in Monmouthshire, England, the date of which cannot possibly be earlier than about 50 A.D.,<sup>2</sup> and is in all probability a good deal later.

And now excavations have brought proof that the fortifications of Norba, about ten miles to the south of La Civita, on the western edge of the Volscian range, are of Roman date! The report (*Notizie degli Scavi*, 1901, pp. 514-559) is worthy of study. The necropolis was unfortunately not found, and this is to be deplored, as the approximate date of the foundation of the city and the period during which it existed could thus have been more certainly determined than in any other way. But within the

<sup>1</sup> Cf. also p. 90, below.

<sup>2</sup> Archaeologia, LVIII, 2 (1903), p. 397, fig. 2.

core and beneath the foundations of a part of the wall of the east side, in such positions that they could not have been introduced after the construction of the wall (op. cit. p. 548), fragments of pottery belonging undoubtedly to the Roman period were found; and so it would appear certain that the walls of Norba must be attributed at the earliest to the period of the foundation of the "nova colonia, quae arx in Pomptino esset" (Liv. II, 34) in 492 B.C. It is, further, remarkable that a careful examination of the walls of Norba has completely upset the traditional chronology of polygonal constructions.<sup>1</sup> The most recent writer on the subject, G. B. Giovenale ('I monumenti preromani del Lazio,' in Dissertazioni dell' Accademia Pontificia, serie II, tomo VII), while admitting that in certain cases they must be assigned to the Roman period.<sup>2</sup> divides them. in general, into three groups, corresponding to different styles and dates. In the first we have large blocks, hardly worked at all, with rough faces and rounded angles; in the second, smaller blocks, with the faces left more or less rough, but the joints smoothed; in the third, larger blocks again, but with the faces earefully smoothed, the joints worked, but not so finely as the faces, and a strong tendency towards horizontality. Small filling blocks and insets are not nncommon.

But, most unfortunately, at Norba we find the most perfect type (the third) used precisely in those places which were most exposed to attack, and would therefore have been the first to be fortified : and the angle to the left of the Porta Grande is the point of contact of walls of the second and third styles, in which it is clear that the third style supports the second. So that the usual chronology of these walls is not reliable; and hence, although perhaps the walls of La Civita are rougher than anything to be found at Norba, this roughness cannot in itself be regarded as sufficient evidence of high antiquity. Excavation alone can solve the problem definitely; and the site, being absolutely unoccupied by modern buildings, could easily be carefully examined, and would be well worthy of the attention of the Italian authorities.

It is worth noting, further, that the excavations at Norba brought to light traces of life on the site from the sixth century B.C. to the eighth or ninth of our era.<sup>3</sup> It is possible, inasmuch as Pliny (*N.H.* 111, 5: 69, 70) enumerates it among the cities of Latium "quae interiere sine vestigiis," that it suffered a temporary eclipse after its

<sup>1</sup> The remarks on this subject in W. Ridgeway's Early Age of Greece (vol. I, p. 68) require correction.

<sup>2</sup> The most striking of these is the platform of a large villa at Grotte Torri in the Sabine country, not far from the station of Fara Sabina, where the outer face of the wall of the platform is of very fine masonry, with the blocks carefully smoothed on all sides, while the inner face is of opus incertum. The whole wall is only 120 m. in thickness, and is pierced by loophole-windows, which serve to light a cryptoporticus that runs around the inside of the platform : so that there can be no question of the contemporaneity of the whole wall, nor of the necessity of assigning it to the Roman period.

<sup>3</sup> Subsequent excavations in the interior of the city are described in Notizie degli Scavi, 1903, pp. 229-262.

The site in its unexplored state so strikingly resembled what may be seen at Artena that the parallel is interesting and important.

A little below and to the south of the temple of Juno there is a large rectangular terrace, supported on three sides by fine walls of polygonal blocks (pp. 238, 239, figs. 8, 9). Its front, facing southwest, is 24 m, long. In the centre of the terrace lies an area measuring  $15 \times 13$  m. (fig. 10), paved with smaller blocks. This is surrounded by a crepido and by a line of stones set on edge, which rise slightly above the area enclosed. The latter was discovered at a depth of some 40 cms, below the surface of the ground.

A payed road led to the terrace from the northeast.

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destruction by Sulla; but there is material evidence of a revival of prosperity under the Empire. As this may likewise have been the case with La Civita, the statements of the classical writers are perhaps no bar to either of the identifications proposed (p. 88).

We may now proceed to describe La Civita itself and the remains which are to be found there. The site attains its greatest elevation at the north end (632 m. =  $2073\frac{1}{2}$  feet). The ground slopes away towards the south and west rather gently (the southern slope being by far the longer), but much more abruptly towards the north and east (except for the neck by which it is connected with the rocky knoll to the north-northwest). Its greatest extension from north to south is about 825 m., and from east to west about 525 m. (De la Blanchère gives 894 m. and over 650 m.)

The external walls are fairly well preserved along the whole of the west side and on the south and southeast. On the east side, a little to the south of the point where the path usually followed from Artena enters them (No. 4 on Plan), they disappear, and, the slope being very abrupt, they may not have extended farther to the north on this side. On the north side, however, they certainly existed, though traces of them are extremely scanty at the present time. De la Blanchère seems to have seen them in a far more perfect condition, for he remarks that they were preserved "sans solution de continuité" from C to D on his plan (No. 27 to No. 28 on our Plan) for a distance of 342 m. (p. 166).

The eity probably had two important gates. The first was at the northwest extremity, where there is a break in the wall, and where the *col*, connecting it with the knoll on which is situated the trigonometrical point 621, comes up to the plateau. Here are traces (marked 1 on the Plan) of the substruction-wall of a road ascending southwestward, which must have followed, more or less, the line of a steep modern path. Serangeli (see below, p. 100) brings it up from La Cacciata, some two miles northwest of Artena, passing on the way some reservoirs and a place where, in his day (1717), antiquities of a date posterior to the abandonment of La Civita had been found. This gate (No. 2 on Plan) must have been situated between the fragment of wall 3 (which has now disappeared) and 1.

The second important gate was almost certainly situated on the east side, near point 4, where the easier modern path enters the plateau of La Civita, perhaps on the line of the prolongation of a substruction-wall 5 (see below, p. 92), *i.e.* almost exactly where the city-wall ceases to be preserved, though, owing to the height of the bank, it may be safer to locate it nearer to point 4. In any case, however, de la Blanchère puts it a good deal too far north, the slope towards the north at the point indicated by him being very abrupt. Serangeli makes a road enter from this side, and de la Blanchère (p. 170) speaks of having seen its substruction-walls on the east side of the mountain, believing it to be the same as a road of which traces are to be seen in the hills between Segni and Monte Fortino.

Besides these two gates there are two small posterns on the west side (marked 6 and 7 on the Plan and shown in Figs. 1 and 2), each 2.85 m. in width.<sup>1</sup> Owing

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The site of the postern at point 6 may be seen in Fig. 8.

to the precipitous character of the slope, neither of them can have had any great importance, or have served to admit anything more than a mountain path; that which entered at No. 6 may have ascended from the Grotta di Catauso, a natural fissure in the limestone rock, which it was impossible for us to explore owing to the water within. It is not unlikely that the water-supply of the ancient city may have been partly derived from this cave.

The curious inward bend of the wall just before the extreme south point is reached is not apparently connected with a gate, for the wall is well preserved, and there



FIGURE 1. — A POSTERN ON THE WEST SIDE OF LA CIVITA No. 6 on the Plan. Width, 2.85 m.

are no traces of any opening. It is possible, on the other hand, that there was a gate where a path now leaves the site at the south end (No. 8 on Plan), at which point there is now a gap in the wall; and there may conceivably have been another in the great angle in the west side, where a modern path also passes out of the site, but over the wall, the extreme angle being now covered by an accumulation of earth (No. 9 on Plan). The fragment of the substruction-wall which possibly belongs to a road (No. 5) may have turned slightly so as to reach this angle, or may have turned more, so as to lead farther northward, perhaps to the gate at No. 6 on the Plan.

The city-wall itself is constructed of blocks of the local limestone. An average size is difficult to give, but the faces of the larger blocks may be stated to measure about 1 m. by 0.75 m. The thickness of the wall is given by de la Blanchère as averaging 2 m.; we measured 2.13 m. in the stretch of wall going southeast just

beyond the gate at No. 7, and 2.25 m. in the long stretch going south from point 10. The only portion now preserved above the inner ground-level is between points 1 and 7 on our Plan, and it measures 2.25 m. in thickness at that level, above which it rises to a height of 2.80 m. An illustration is given (Fig. 3), showing a section of the similar eity-wall of Circeii which is of about the same thickness; but this necessarily decreases as the wall rises, to insure its stability. The maximum height preserved in the circuit of the wall of La Civita is 3.80 m., but this is at a point near 10 in the Plan, where it does not rise above the inner ground-level.



FIGURE 2. — A POSTERN WITH ADJOINING WALL ON THE WEST SIDE No. 7 on the Plan. Width, 2.85 m.

It is obvious that walls of this style are unsuited to stand free, as in order to secure stability they must needs be much wider at the base than at the top. For embanking-walls, on the other hand, polygonal masonry is not open to objection, and is often used even nowadays by railway engineers.

Specimens are given of the city-wall. Fig. 4 shows the outer wall near a point A between the two gates Nos. 6 and 7; Fig. 5 the same, just south of point No. 9; Fig. 6 the same, at still another point on the west side; Fig. 7 shows the entire southwest portion of the site (taken from near gate No. 6); Fig. 8 is a view from the south end of the site, showing the wall from point 6 to point 9 on the Plan.

The remains within the circuit of the wall consist, in the first place, of a great massive terrace (No. 11 on Plan) facing south-southwest, the front of which is 167 m.

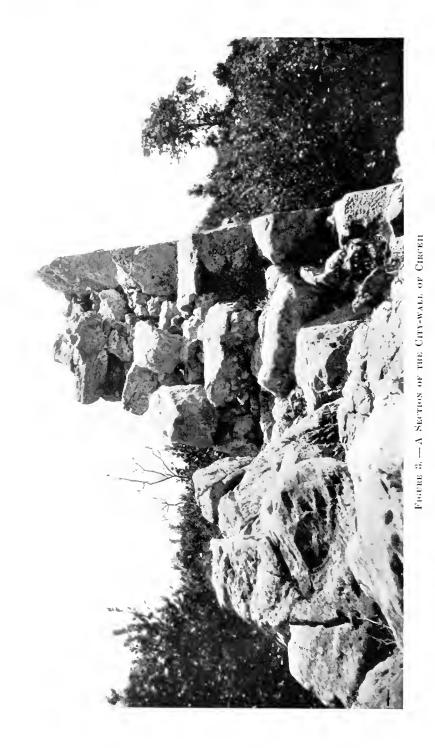




FIGURE 4. — A PIECE OF THE OUTER WALL ON THE WEST SIDE Near point A, between the posterns at Nos. 6 and 7



FIGURE 5. — A PIECE OF THE OFTER WALL ON THE WEST SIDE South of point 9

in length (Fig. 9). The east-southeast side of it can be traced for a distance of about 87 m., but the west-northwest side has almost entirely disappeared. The work is a trifle more careful than it is in the city-wall. The maximum height is about 6 m. near the west end of the front-wall (Figs. 10 and 11), the central portion of which is a good deal broken away. The part preserved there (Fig. 12), about 5 m. high and 2 m. thick, contains a block measuring on the face 2.40 by 2.40 m. to its extreme points, — the largest we have found upon the site. At a distance of 10.50 m. inward from the outer face of this wall another similar but smaller one (No. 12 on Plan), at present searcely preserved above the ground-level, can be traced for a distance of



FIGURE 6. - THE OUTER WALL AT ANOTHER POINT ON THE WEST SIDE

53.70 m. going west-northwest and 12.50 m. going north-northeast. There was, we were told, a concrete flooring to the platform which is supported on the south by these substruction-walls, at a depth of about 0.75 m. This area, which extends for about 90 m. back from the front of the terrace to the rocks that rise decidedly behind it (No. 29 on Plan), — while its breadth is probably somewhat less than that of the great front-wall, — can never have been the arx; it is not in any way defensible and is overlooked by the highest point within the walls. De la Blanchère (p. 170) is probably quite correct in saying that it was the site of the forum of the eity and also of the temple of the protecting deity. (Compare p. 90, note 3.)

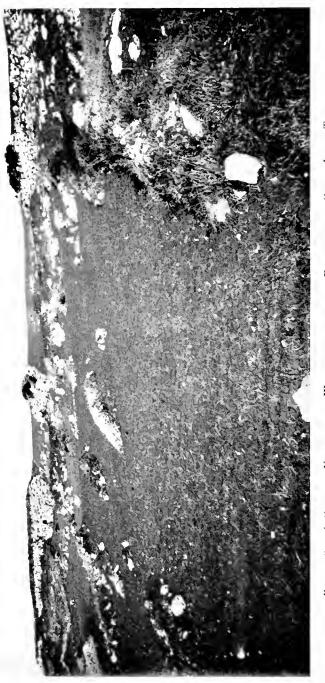
At the highest point itself there is a rectangular depression in the rock, 2 or 3 m. in depth (No. 13 on Plan), the sides of which are partly lined with masonry.



FIGURE 7. — THE SOUTHWEST END OF LA CIVITA VIEWED FROM POINT 6 The Monti Lepini in the distance



FIGURE 8. — THE OUTER WALL OF LA CIVITA BETWEEN POINTS 6 AND 9 Viewed from the south end of the site. The Alban Ilills in the distance





It measures 22 by 13.40 m., and was very likely, as de la Blanchère suggests, a cistern (p. 169).

The long wall (No. 11) of the great terrace, near its west end (No. 14 on Plan), has a parallel wall of opus incertum built against it, 0.75 m. thick, and from the terrace-wall run several parallel walls (Nos. 15 on Plan) of opus incertum, more easily traced at the time when de la Blanchère visited the site than at present. From the southwest angle of the terrace ran another wall (No. 16 on Plan), ending in a concrete foundation which is still to be seen (No. 17 on Plan). To the west,



FIGURE 10. — THE WEST END OF THE WALL SUPPORTING THE FRONT OF THE GREAT INNER TERRACE Near point 16 on the Plan

northwest, and southwest of this point no further remains of buildings were traceable, though the blocks of the limestone, which by nature fractures rectangularly, often tempt one to believe that one has detected traces of foundations, which after more careful inspection have to be rejected.

There are, however, other remains within the city-wall, which de la Blanchère seems to have failed to observe. To the east of the great terrace is another low wall (No. 18 on Plan), marked as uncertain by de la Blanchère (O on his plan) and connected by him with a gate which he wrongly supposes to have existed on the line of the prolongation east-southeast of the great terrace-wall (N on his plan). It runs almost parallel to the eastern side-wall of the terrace, and *seems* to have a rectangular termination at its northeast end. A little farther down the

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slope, and very nearly in the same straight line with it, is another wall which supports a road, 8.50 m. in width (No. 19 on Plan), paved with large blocks of limestone. This road can be traced southward as far as 20, where it stops; but close to this point there was probably an important junction of roads coming from the gates, which we have conjecturally marked at Nos. 4, 8, and 9 on our Plan (see pp. 91 and 92 above). The wall 18 apparently marks the prolongation northward of this road, and the turn at right angles at its northeast end probably means that close to this point it turned and entered the area of the great terrace.



FIGURE 11. — THE HIGHEST PART IN THE WESTERN REMNANT OF THE WALL SUPPORTING THE FRONT OF THE GREAT INNER TERRACE Plainly visible in Fig. 9 to the left

On each side of the lower portion of the road are foundations of polygonal blocks of smaller size; on the northwest side terrace-walls (Nos. 21–23 on Plan — with possibly another terrace between 22 and 23), and on the southeast side the foundations of a small building (No. 24 on Plan). To the south of point 5 (see p. 91) we saw no definite remains of buildings. De la Blanchère speaks of roads as possibly traceable from the gates numbered 6 and 9 going towards the north end of the western side-wall of the great terrace and the highest point of all; of these we saw no traces. The saw also other traces of walls on the site, too indistinct to be put upon the plan.

It does not appear that there was much more to be seen two centuries ago. Serangeli, the author of a manuscript history of Monte Fortino (*Notizie istoriche della Terra di Monte Fortino*, 1717), now preserved at the *Municipio* of the modern village



Fighte 12. — AN ISOLATED PRECE OF THE WALL SUPPORTING THE FRONT OF THE GREAT INNER TERRACE Plainly visible in Fig. 9 near the middle

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of Artena,<sup>1</sup> speaks of the site as "ripieno di varj vestigj di ruine e frantumi di terracotta." Already at his time it was entirely under cultivation, as it is at present, though the grain it produces is not very flourishing. He only saw some subterranean vaults (which de la Blanchère supposes to have been cisterns), and even these were partly destroyed. De la Blanchère, in commenting on this passage, remarks that fragments of brieks and terra-cotta are extremely rare upon the site (p. 168). Our experience does not bear out his statement: there is a great quantity of broken brieks, flange-tiles, and pottery of Roman date<sup>2</sup> (mostly, to be sure, in small pieces,



FIGURE 13. - OBJECTS OF TERRA-COTTA SAID TO HAVE BEEN FOUND AT LA CIVITA

of very coarse material and inferior manufacture, some baked red, some baked gray), and terra-cottas are said to have been found in two places at the east edge of the northern part of the site (Nos. 25 and 26 on Plan). Some of the latter, now in the archaeological collection of the University of Michigan, are shown in Fig. 13.

Of the modern village, little remains to be said. Half-way down to it, at a place called *Serrone del Patto* (or *Fatto*), Serangeli (manuscript, fol. 20) speaks of the discovery of debris of constructions, pieces of marble, and of a lead pipe one-third of a palm (7.41 cm.) in diameter, bearing the inscription, L VINIVS ONESIMVS FEC, at intervals (*C.I.L.* X, 5977). There were seen traces of a villa (possibly the same building), consisting of a wall, 80 cm. thick, of small polygonal blocks, with debris of amphorae, tiles, etc., on the slope below the path which leads up on the east side of the site. In the church of S. Maria there is an altar (used now as a holy-water basin and placed upside down), bearing in low relief on the three sides which are visible the emblems of Jupiter (eagle and thunderbolt, Fig. 14), Juno (peacock), and Minerva (owl and helmet, the latter lettered  $A \Theta H$ , Fig. 15). The material is Greek marble, and the work is good. The base measures 50 cm. in length, the plain plinth 5 cm.,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the course of our various visits to Artena, the lack of time has never permitted of our examining this manuscript, a task which, indeed, seemed unnecessary, inasmuch as it has been searched both by de la Blanchère and by Stevenson—the latter in his work of collection of materials for the tenth volume of the C.I.L. (*ibid.* p. 591).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A piece of black glazed pottery was also found; it is a part of the bottom of a small bowl. On its inner side are four impressions of a mark shaped like this figure,  $\bigcirc$  (in one-half of the actual size). Judging from their positions, six were grouped in the centre of the vessel so as to form a regular figure like this,  $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow}$ , the five outer ones having the open end turned inward.

the moulding 6.45 cm. in height, while the sculptured panel is 35.5 cm. high and 36.5 cm. wide. The plain little church itself has been modernized, but contains many fragments of eighth-century carving built into the altar steps.

In the town there is little to be seen: the principal church (S. Croce), near the top of the town (Fig. 16), has two panels of Cosmatesque work (twelfth century) built into



FIGURE 14. — THE FRONT OF A ROMAN ALTAR Now in the church of S. Maria between Artena and La Civita

the façade, and two more within in the floor. In the sacristy is preserved the inscription C.I.L. X, 5987, seen by us, where Stevenson's DLCIMIO must be a misprint for DECIMIO, the whole running thus: P. DECIMIO BOETHO | B(ene) · M(erenti) · CONIVGI · SVO.

Beside the church on the west a very wide and deep fissure in the limestone has recently developed (Figs. 16 and 17), and a similar deep depression exists farther to the east, reducing the width of the town at this point to about 150 m.

Farther down the town we saw the inscription C.I.L. X, 5984, described as "arca" (really a slab, 0.95 m. in height), said by Serangeli to have been found in the quarto della Peseara, three miles to the southwest of the village, "in una collinetta vicino alla selva," and to be in his own possession (manuscript, fol. 21). Stevenson saw it in the



FIGURE 15. — THE RIGHT SIDE OF A ROMAN ALTAR (See Fig. 14)

*seuole comunali*: it now forms the threshold of a doorway, and its right-hand side is no longer visible. We give what we saw of the text in capitals, and the remainder in small italics :

D · M P · C O M I C i o P H I L O P H Y R s o COMICIA · ATHEnais C O N I V G I · e t P · COMICIVS · EVSebes PATRI · B · M · Feeep (sie)

There is also in the *Palazzo Borghese* (belonging to the Roman family of that name, who are the owners of Artena) a tufa sarcophagus found at the *Colle Treare*, near the twenty-fourth mile of the Via Latina, described in *Notizie degli Scavi*, 1890, p. 325, and a bust of a bearded Roman. Stevenson saw there a mill (*catillus*) of stone, bearing the



FIGURE 16. — VIEW OF ARTENA FROM THE ROAD LEADING TO LA CIVITA It shows the deep fissure west of the church, and the Alban Hills in the distance

inscription HOP (C.I.L. X, 5997); the letters were, however, indistinct and the reading should probably have been HOS (cf. C.I.L. X, 8057, 7).

Outside is the milestone, C.I.L. X, 6884, the inscription on which is now almost illegible. It ran thus:

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It must have belonged to the Via Latina from the place at which it was found. The number is quite uncertain; but the problems connected with it eannot be discussed here.



FIGURE 17,  $\rightarrow$  The West Side of Artexa and the Chasu-View from the terrace beside the church (see Fig. 16)

Opposite the palace is a fragment of a female statue.

The only other sepulchral inscription which Stevenson saw here is C.I.L. X, 5979, BASILIUS | VIXSIT ANN | HIC • OBITUS • A[*nte patrem cubat pater*] | INFELIX FECI•QUI•CAR[*ui optimo filio?*].

C.I.L. X, 5986, was also recorded as having been found here by Serangeli (manuscript, fol. 16), while two other authors give two different localities where they saw it, in neither of which could Stevenson find it. It runs thus:

D·M· T·CRVSTIDIVS PRISCVS·COIV GI SVAE QVINT INIAE·CALLIS TENI·BENEME RENTI·FECIT·Q VE·CONVIXIT·M ECV ANNIS·P·M XX·SINE·VLLA·Q VERELLA

There are no others belonging to Artena itself, as distinct from the Via Latina which passes close under it (see the small Map on PLATE XI and *Papers of the British School at Rome*, vol. I, map VIII).

The authors acknowledge with pleasure their indebtedness to Messrs. Albert R. Crittenden, Henry M. Gelston, and John W. Beach, formerly members of the American School, for some help in surveying and measuring the walls of La Civita.

The present description has been compiled by Mr. Ashby, Assistant-Director of the British School, with the aid of Mr. Pfeiffer's notes, while the latter is in the main responsible for the plan, the photographs having been contributed by both of us. The work, being therefore fairly divided between us, is, in a sense, one of the first-fruits of the cordial friendship between the American and the British schools at Rome.

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## CARSIOLI

## A DESCRIPTION OF THE SITE AND THE ROMAN REMAINS, WITH HISTORICAL NOTES AND A BIBLIOGRAPHY

[Plates XIII-XVI]

Frigida Carsiolis, nec olivis apta ferendis Terra, sed ad segetes ingeniosus ager. — Ovid, Fasti, IV, 683, 684.

THE traveller who crosses the Italian peninsula in an easterly direction from Rome takes the Sulmona railway and enters the Sabine Mountains at Tivoli (Tibur). Thenee he follows the route of the ancient Via Valeria up the beautiful Anio valley past Vicovaro (Varia or Vicus Variae) and reaches in about an hour the picturesque town of Arsoli.<sup>1</sup> This lies a little north of the springs that supply the modern Aqua Marcia, as they did the ancient. Portions of their conduits he will probably have seen along the way.

Leaving Arsoli, he enters a narrow rocky pass traversed by a tributary of the river Anio, coming from the north; and here, about opposite to the village of Riofreddo, he may see, on the east side of the railway-line, under the modern highway, a wellpreserved single-arched Roman bridge, which belonged to the Via Valeria, the Ponte di San Giorgio (Fig. 1).<sup>2</sup>

Another ancient bridge still better preserved is the Ponte Scutonico<sup>3</sup> (Fig. 2), which lies about 2 km, back toward Rome, far below the railway, southwest of Arsoli, from which it may be easily reached. It has particular interest as the most important remnant of Roman road-building in these parts, and is repeatedly referred to below (pp. 131, 132). Figure 3 shows the top of it, looking eastward, with the road-payement of irregular flat blocks of limestone still *in situ*.

Soon after passing the Ponte di San Giorgio and the station of Riofreddo, the traveller arrives at the lonely station of Pereto-II Cavaliere (called on the Maps, PLATE XIII, simply II Cavaliere), where he should descend to visit Carsioli. Beyond stretches an extensive plain, — the Piano del Cavaliere, — not unlike the plains of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Maps, PLATE XIII.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The scale-rod in this and some other illustrations is 2 m. long, and divided into decimetres.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See the large Map, PLATE XIII (southwest corner), and the small Map under it.

northern Greece, cultivated by the inhabitants of the neighboring villages, but almost without a house or tree (Fig. 4).

It is drained by the little river Turano, which flows rapidly northwestward, lies about 600 m. above sea-level, and is encircled by gray limestone mountains scantily wooded and in winter often capped with snow.<sup>1</sup> Between the plain and the highlands on the west, however, there extends from Il Cavaliere toward the north and northwest a plateau with deeply eroded contours. It is about 40 m. to 60 m. higher than



FIGURE 1. — PONTE DI SAN GIORGIO, VIEWED FROM THE EAST Only the arch of travertine is Roman

the lowest part of the plain, somewhat wooded, and hence known as Bosco di Oricola, a hill-town toward the south, to which it now belongs.<sup>2</sup>

Along the eastern edge of this plateau lies a narrow and very irregular spur,<sup>3</sup> stretching northward independently of it. This spur is the site of the ancient town of Carsioli,<sup>4</sup> which was originally a settlement of the Aequi or Aequiculi, but is said to

<sup>1</sup> Aug. J. C. Hare (*Days near Rome*, 1875, H. p. 186) repeats the statement of P. A. Corsignani (*Reggia Marsicana*, 1738, vol. I, p. 223) that Cavaliere was built by a Cavaliere of the Colonna family, who was nearly lost on these desolate hills in the snow. — His few remarks on Carsioli are neither new nor wholly correct.

<sup>2</sup> At the left of the Panorama, PLATE XIV, I. <sup>3</sup> Not well shown on the large Staff-map, PLATE XIII.

<sup>4</sup> The name occurs in two forms, *Carseoli* and *Carsioli*. The latter, which we use, is that adopted by the *Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum*, vol. IX, p. 382; cf. no. 4067. — *Carsulae* was another town in Umbria.



Figure 2. — Ponte Scutonico, built of Travertine, viewed from the Southeast



FIGURE 3. — PAVEMENT OF THE VIA VALERIA ON THE PONTE SCUTONICO, LOOKING EASTWARD Arsoli lies toward the left, just outside of the view

have been occupied in about 300 B.C. by a colony of 4000 Romans. The place then became a strong fortress, guarding the line of advance into the central Apennines. It flourished more or less for many centuries, and fell into decay in the Middle Ages. The date of its final abandonment is not exactly known. The Panorama on PLATE XIV is a good view from the east of the entire site, outlined by its trees against the

mountains to the south and west. Only a few humble stone cottages and reed huts (*capanne*) stand upon it now.

The rock underlying the soil is a brownish-gray volcanic tufa of rather fine but earthy grain, similar to that found in the Valle di Cona below Subiaco (Gori, Da Roma a Tivoli e Subiaco, etc.. 1855, part IV, p. 34, or Giornale areadico, tomo CLXXXII (1864), р. **114**). It resembles peperino somewhat, but is less speekled. In the surrounding alluvial lowlands lie stagnant waters, which give rise to malarial fevers in the summer months. To the west



FIGURE 4. — PIANO DEL CAVALIERE Looking northward from the milestone, PLATE XV, 60

there were, when Gori wrote about fifty years ago, bogs and malodorous sulphur-springs, which, he says, made spending the night in this neighborhood impossible. Of the springs we noticed nothing, but even now the tillers of the soil stay only for the winter season at Carsioli, or Civita Carenza as they call it, returning in April to Oricola. They raise Indian corn and other grain, grapes and apples, but do not cultivate the olive. For this, as already Ovid has remarked (*loc. cit.*), the climate is too cold.

The remains of Carsioli were found and identified<sup>1</sup> by the famous Holstenius (Lukas Holste, 1596-1661) in May, 1645:

"Carseolorum situm & vestigia diu perquisita inveni & perspexi anno 1645. 12. Maij." 2

<sup>1</sup> The identification is assured

(1) by the statement of Strabo (V, iii, 11) that Carsioli lay on the Via Valeria.

(2) by the Antonine Itinerary, which gives its distance from Rome as 42 miles, and the Tabula Peutingeriana, which gives it as 43 miles (cf. C.I.L. 1X, p. 204, and pp. 130–132 below).

(3) by the presence of the suitable remains of a large city at the forty-second and forty-third milestones from Rome on the Via Valeria.

(4) by an inscription found there in 1720 referring by name to Carsioli (C.I.L. IX, 4067; cf. also P. A. Corsignani, op. cit. vol. 1, p. 201, and F. Gori, op. cit. p. 36 (G. arc. p. 116)).

(5) by a milestone found east of the site which is inscribed like others of the Via Valeria, and must have been numbered XXXXIII (cf. pp. 128–132 and *C.I.L.* IX, 5964).

<sup>2</sup> Annotationes in Italiam antiquam Cluverii, Rome, 1666. pp. 164, 165.

He describes them in the following words :

" In umbilico planitiei Carseolanae ad laevam viae Valeriae Roma euntibus, uno circiter milliario ultra diversorium del Cavagliere in colle leniter edito visuntur ruinae. & vestigia huius nobilissimae Coloniae, quae vulgo Cirità Carentia nunc dicitur: à parte occidentali [really the south].<sup>1</sup> ubi Porta Romana fuit.<sup>2</sup> apparet maeniorum pars antiqui operis. A septentrionali latere [really the west] apparent murorum, turrium ac substructionum vestigia ex ima valle subrecta. Ad ortum [really the north] in colle paulo editiore veteris Ecclesiae ruinae apparent [possibly Nos. 40 or 51 on our Plan, PLATE XV, cf. pp. 423 and 426 below]. Ad meridiem [really the east] collis leniter in viam Valeriam descendens laterum ac caementorum reliquiis oppletus cernitur. A parte septentrionali [really the west] aquaeductus insignis reliquiae apparent, quo rivus aquae limpidissimae prope Valle in Freddo scaturiens eò perducebatur. Distat a Cellis, quibus nunc Carsoli nomen datum m. p. 3. ab Arsula autem m. p. 4. vel potius v. quod intervallum exactè cum Itinerariis convenit. Fuit enim haec civitas ad Lapidem XLII. vel XLIII. haec oculata fide mihi comperta. Ex hic explicanda quae aliorum relatione accepta inferius adnotavi."

Holstenius also points out that Cluverius<sup>3</sup> was wrong in believing that the Roman Carsioli occupied the site of the modern Arsoli.

Since his day the remains have been repeatedly mentioned, and occasionally visited by archaeologists.

Mutius Phoebonius, in his Historiae Marsorum Libri Tres (Naples, 1678), says:

"At non ita [*i.e.* Cluver's identification with Arsoli is wrong] nam illius vestigia ex antiqua apud Incolas traditione monstrantur. In plano inter Reofriddum, et Celle in sylva, quae ab excurrente riuo, cui Sesere nomen est. Sesera appellatur, non aspernendae civitatis illustria monumenta iacent; et inter semidiruta aedificia ianua excavatis lapidibus compacta adhuc solum continet<sup>4</sup> et ipse locus a vicinis Carseolorum Civitas nuncupatur; et Ecclesia quae ibidem est. Abbatiali titulo gaudet, et a qua circum erecti populi Saera olia sumebant, etiam in diplomate Paschalis II S. Mariae in Carseolo enunciatur" (p. 201).

In a manuscript work by the Spaniard Diego Revillas, entitled *De Sabinis urbibus* apud Marsos, written about 1735, but not published, and now in the possession of Mr. Thomas Ashby, Jr., of Rome (who purchased it from the library of the late Constantino Corvisieri), the author makes the following remarks about Carsioli, which agree in the main with the statements of Holstenius:

"Veteris itaque Carseolorum urbis situm in valle prope modum quadrilatera (quam ex Thorano fluvio olim Telonio eam irrigante Thoranam diennt) plurimo Montium circumdata vallo quinque et sex P.M. extensa, quam Via Valeria oblique dirimit, nullo negotio invenimus. Ob sylvarum saltiumque frequentiam et ob ibi emergentium aut defluentium aquarum copiam, frigidiusculo, humidoque aere vallis premitur. Sed in colle leniter edito extructa Civitas mitiore quidem, at non admodum calido fruebatur caelo, ut propterea *frigida* bene posset appellari. Tertio eitra mox recensitum lapidem xxxx1 milliario visuntur hactenus dirutae Civitatis vestigia: unde ejus ab urbe distantia ad M.P. non xxxx11 [sic] (ut perperam Phoebonibus [sic] Antonini Itinerario deceptus numerat) sed xxxv11 statuenda quem admodum Dissert. 1. invenimus."

[This statement rests on the erroneous view<sup>5</sup> that the Via Valeria went through the mountains

<sup>1</sup> All the compass-directions here quoted from Holstenius are 90° out in the sense of the motion of the clock-hands.

<sup>2</sup> Cf. Plan, PLATE XV, second fork.

<sup>3</sup> Philippi Cluveri Italia antiqua, fº., Lugd. Bat. off. Elz, 1624, lib. II, pp. 783, 784.

<sup>4</sup> Apparently the postern (47, Fig. 17) described on p. 125, below.

<sup>5</sup> Accepted without question by E. H. Bunbury in his article 'Via Valeria,' Smith's *Dictionary of Greek* and *Roman Geography*, 1883, p. 1306. to the west of Arsoli and the Monte S. Elia from the Osteria della Ferrata by way of Riofreddo, rejoining the modern road just north of the Ponte di San Giorgio. See Map of Revillas, Fig. 5, the small Map on PLATE XIII, and onr remarks, pp. 130–132. Compare also Mommsen, *C.I.L.* IX (1883), p. 382.]

"Illustres adeo hic jacent non modicae Civitatis reliquiae, ut incredulum quemlibet de primeva Aedificiorum magnificentia convincere possint. Hic balineorum, et Templorum sepultae parietinae passim deteguntur: hic marmorea statuarum, columnarum, epistyliorum frusta; hic literati lapides, vetusta numismata, pluraque alia tum metallica, tum marmorea Urbeum [*sic*] monumenta quotidie in nova Vinetorum plantatione ab Auricolae et Pireti praesertim incolis effodiuntur. Atque ut omnis de Civitatis nomine removeatur dubitatio. Praegrandis marmorea stylobata non ita pridem effossae et ad Hospitinm del Cavaliere (quod milliario inde distat) nunc collocata testimonium dabit." [*C.I.L.* IX, 4067; the transcription of Revillas, however, has a dot after REPEN, a large O at the end of the third line, and has CARSEOLA | NORVM instead of CARSIOLA | NORVM.]

"Praeter complures alio translatos aut temporum hominumque iniuria destructos Literatos lapides, nonnullos hie danus inter Carseolana rudera recens effossos: quos una cum aliis inferius recensendis ex communi ruina praetio redemptos, in Paternis aedibus Pireti diligenter collegit studiosus aequè ae nobilis invenis Antonius de Vindittis: quos dum ejus hospitio in nostra p[er] Marsos peregrinatione splendidissimè frueremur transcripsinus." [Then follow four inscriptions: *C.I.L.* IX, 4063, in which Revillas writes OLLIVS and a dot at the end of the third line: 4053; 4059 (Rev. 7), in which Revillas writes the first line IHDIO·FLACCO and the fourth HII VtR·IVR·DIC·QVIN, slightly differing from the *Corpus*; and 4068 (Rev. 7).]

"Interim ut Architecturae studiosis gratificemur novam basis columnae formam inter rudera a nobis observatam delinea [tamq, dcl.] exhibemus in qua loco Tori, planum veluti inclinatum in plinthum desinit.<sup>1</sup> Duas hujusce formae bases ex lapide pario invenimus quarum diameter [is omitted] . . . columnarum vero frusta quae basibus his correspondere videbantur, striata ex eodem lapide pario constructa erant."

"Inter semidiruta Aedificia, superstes ad hue Romam versus, Civitatis porta excavatis lapidibus extructa conspicitur,<sup>2</sup> ad quam longus Viae Valeriae tractus [only a *directiculum*? Cf. p. 115.] desinit."

"Nequid antem urbis commoditati ad magnificentiae deesset; licet haud procul hinc excurrente fluviolo quem Sesare vocant, et proximum saltum circumdedit, irrigantur; Aquaêductu tamen satis amplo ac conspicuo donabatur, qui ex vicini montis radicibus ferme subter Oppidum quod Vallinfreda dicunt copiosas aquas colligebat. Extant adhue ingentia aquaeductus vestigia quae ab incolis Muro pertuso appellantur, quaeve in Tiburtina Tabula suo loco adnotata sunt." [See Fig. 5 and PLATES XIII (large Map, northwest corner) and XIV, 2, 3, 4.]

## R. Colt Hoare<sup>3</sup> narrates a visit on May 8, 1791, to the site of Carsioli, as follows:

"I diverged from the main road [he is travelling to Rome] toward the right, in order to examine the ruins of the ancient Carsoli: the site of which is now overspread with vineyards. I noticed, however, a part of the walls, built of huge blocks of stone: and a portion of the Roman way, the pavement of which still retains the traces of carriage wheels. I saw also some fragments of aqueducts, and the relies of a coarse tessellated pavement. I regretted the injury done to a fine pedestal<sup>4</sup> in one of the vineyards. It was ornamented with a basso relievo, representing a sacrifice, consisting of three figures, and a vietim before the altar. On the reverse was an olive-branch; on the two other sides were a patera and a vase, or beaker, with a swine sculptured beneath.<sup>5</sup> It had borne an inscription, the letters of which were finely engraven, but now reduced to SACR: so that no indication remains to what deity [sic] this altar was originally dedicated. . . .

<sup>1</sup> The manuscript of Revillas contains a sheet with four rough sketches, which are reproduced in PLATE XVI. — No. 3 on it appears to be a cross-section of the new form of base here mentioned.

<sup>2</sup> Cf. p. 118, below.

<sup>3</sup> Recollections Abroad, 1817, vol. IV, p. 157 = A Classical Tour through Italy, 1819, p. 282.

- <sup>4</sup> Recorded in C.I.L. 1X, 4052.
- <sup>5</sup> On one side a sheep instead of a swine (C.I.L.).

"... A little beyond the Osteria del Cavaliere and nearly opposite the church of St. Giorgio [near the Ponte di San Giorgio, but now abandoned] a road diverges on the right [clearly a mistake for "left"] to Arsuli and Subiaco. Here, also, was the *diverticulum* of the *Via Valeria* made by the Emperor Nero: and on this road, or near it, were the sources of the *Aquae Claudiae* and *Marciae*, which were conveyed by means of aqueducts to the imperial city. Soon afterwards I reached Rio Freddo [*sic*], a village situated on an eminence, where the contracted mountains form a narrow pass, and the road winds along the declivity of a deep valley below. At this point which is the boundary of the Neapolitan and Papal territories, a custom-house is crected: but I neither experienced the trouble nor cupidity, which are usual in such establishments.

"At a short distance from Rio Freddo occurs a steep and rapid descent, called *la Spiaggia*. Both here, and before, I noticed evident traces of the Via Valeria, particularly at one point, where the rock has been cut away to admit its passage." [This road could hardly have been the Via Valeria for reasons set forth below, pp. 130–132.]

Not one of these men, however, has left a full account of what he saw. This is unfortunate, for meanwhile the walls of Carsioli and its edifices, both sacred and profane, have been so completely destroyed by cultivation and the search for buildingmaterials that searcely anything of importance remained, at least on the surface, when we visited the site for the first time in January, 1901, with Professor Rodolfo Lanciani. No objects of very great interest are known to have been found there, mainly perhaps because there have been no systematic excavations; but fragments of statues, cornices, and ornaments in marble and bronze, as well as lead pipes, eoins, cut gems, plain pottery, and terra-cotta ex-votos, have been in the past <sup>1</sup> and are still sometimes unearthed by the country-people in their work. We determined, therefore, to map and describe what we could — little though it was — in order to preserve a more complete record of the place.

The history of Carsioli and its political status have already been briefly outlined by the late Professor Mommsen in the Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum, vol. IX (1883), p. 382. Reference may also be made to E. H. Bunbury's article in the Dictionary of Greek and Roman Geography (Ed. W. Smith, London, 1887, vol. I, pp. 526, 527), though this writer says erroneously that a "great part of the walls . . . as well as portions of towers". . . yet remain, having apparently relied without personal observation on Holstenius and on Gori, who wrote in 1666 and 1855. There is a short note by Professor Chr. Hülsen in Pauly-Wissowa, Real-Encyclopaedie d. Klass. Alterthumswissenschaft, vol. 111 (1899), cols. 1615, 1616.

In our examination of the literary sources we have eome upon no important new facts about Carsioli; but since we have thus become acquainted with a few not mentioned in the accounts referred to, and since we may be justly expected in a treatise

<sup>1</sup> (a) P. A. Corsignani, op. cit. vol. 1, p. 207, states :

"Nell' augusto territorio di questo lnogo (Oricola), accade quasi di continuo nello scavare del terreno il ritrovarsi antiche Medaglie, e vari Idoletti di metallo, o rappresentanti false Deità, o Penati: il che siccome ha tirati molti studiosi di antichita a cola portarvisi, così fece col celebre Luca Olstennio."

(b) C. Promis. Le Antichità di Alba Fucense, etc. (Rome, 1836, p. 57), mentions a lead pipe, 0.60 m. wide.

(c) Gori (op. cit. p. 36, G. arr, p. 116) records that he saw two fine marble torsi in the vineyards.

(d) Notizie degli Scari (1889), p. 251, records a statuette possibly taken from the ancient site :

" Nello scorso anno, facendosi i lavori per la costruzione del cimitero di Carsoli, fu rinvenuto un torso di statua marmorea femninile, di buona esecuzione alto circa m. 1, 00. Dalla spalla sinistra pende un manto, che si raccoglie sul sinistro braccio. Eu depositato nella raccolta publica di Avezzano a cura dell' ispettore E. Canale-Parola." like the present to include historical notes on our subject, we have added such in Appendix 1, based upon some of the works, more or less trustworthy, enumerated in the bibliography, Appendix II.

It is certain that Carsioli lay on the Via Valeria, but that it lay to the left of it, as Holstenius states, was disputed by C. de Chaupy, who says<sup>1</sup> on this point :

"Ce texte d'Holsténius n'a d'inexact que de dire que Carséoles étoit à la gauche de la voie Valérienne qui la traversoit. Il devoit dire à la gauche du chemin présent " (note, foot of p. 222).

He remarks further :

"Ses vestiges consistent en la trace de son mur d'enceinte, qu'on reconnoit avoir été de Pierre de cette Fabrique appellée *incertaine* [opus incertan] déjà nommée plusieurs fois & dont je donnerai une idée plus bas, en plusieurs morceaux de pavé antique, dont un ne peut être que de la voie Valérienne qui la traversa & en une infinité de masures" (pp. 222, 223).

Chaupy appears to have mistaken house-walls in opus incertum for eity-walls, and the paved road (now Via Civita), probably a *diverticulum* which led into the town, for the Via Valeria which seems to have passed at a short distance southeast of it.

Westphal, however, who had seen the ruins,<sup>2</sup> Hoare, and Revillas (at least in his map) placed the town where Holstenius did. Our own observation agrees with theirs.

Revillas indicates on his map<sup>3</sup> some pavement of the Via Valeria, but we found nothing of the latter there except what appears to be a part of its bed cut in the earth and indicated thus <u>one one one</u> on the Staff-map (PLATE XIII) as a path. This runs for several hundred feet along the northwest side of the railway to the north of the first guard-house, Casello 70, beyond the station. The Roman paving-stones, worn on one side, which may be seen here and there in the low walls flanking the railwayembankment, probably came from this cutting. Moreover, its general direction points toward the fallen milestone<sup>4</sup> of the Via Valeria, that lies at some distance to the northeast (cf. Plan, PLATE XV), but considerably east of the spur which was the site of the ancient town. On comparing finally the Via Valeria, as shown on Revillas' map near Carsioli (Fig. 5), and the earth-road beside the railway on the Staff-map (PLATE XIII) between II Cavaliere and the river Turano, they will be seen to agree surprisingly in their place and direction, and even in the bend. We could find no evidence of any direct connection between the Via Civita and the milestone.

The site is best approached from the station of Pereto-II Cavaliere by crossing the railway-line, walking along it northward for a few hundred feet, and near Casello 70 turning off to the left to reach the path, now called Via Civita, that runs due north among houses over the R[egione] Vigne di Civita (see Staff-map, PLATE XIII).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Découverte de la maison de campagne d'Horace. 3 vols, Rome, 1769. 111 part., pp. 222-224.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> J. H. Westphal, Die römische Kampagne (Berlin, 1829). p. 115:

<sup>&</sup>quot;Etwas mehr als eine Miglie von der Osteria del Caraliere, zur Linken an der Via Valeria, erscheinen die Ruinen des alten Carsioli, auf einem mässigen, in der Ebene, Piano del Cavaliere, gelegenen Hügel. Hier sind, vorzüglich auf der Seite gegen Rom hin, grosse kyklopische Mauern aus Kalkstein sichtbar, auch findet sich ein Stück der alten Strasse." He saw, apparently, the ancient pavement on the Via Civita, and thought it was the Via Valeria.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See the portion of it reproduced in Fig. 5 (below the words Carseolorum Rudera).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Cf. p. 111, note 1 (5) and p. 128, No. 60.



FIGURE 5.— A Section of the MAP of Diego Revielas, 1735 See pp. 113 and 115

Finding the representation of the locality on the Staff-map inadequate for our work, we have prepared a Sketch-plan of our own, PLATE XV. On this the main points of the topography, to wit: buildings, — forks, bends, and ends of roads and paths, — and ancient remains have been located by a plane-table survey and tape measurements; not always, as we are aware, with mathematical exactitude, yet with sufficient accuracy for our purpose. The scantiness, nature, and present condition of the visible remains did not justify greater expenditure of labor and time. The contour-curves are inserted by sight and a few rough measurements, merely to give the reader some idea of the extraordinary shape of the ancient site, the interval between them being about 5 m. to 8 m. The numbers denoting objects and places on the site throughout the following remarks refer to that plan. The measures are given in the metric system, and the scale-rod to be seen in some illustrations is divided into decimetres.

The Via Civita, by which we shall now take the reader to Carsioli from the south, is a stony field-road about 2 m, wide, and, though it undoubtedly represents an ancient road, it seems to have been only a *diverticulum* branching off northward from the Via Valeria, which here had a northeasterly direction. Fragments of the pavement, which consisted originally of irregular linestone blocks flanked by a crepido or raised border of rectangular blocks of the same material on each side, may still be seen between the first road-fork and the second at the points numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and beyond the second fork at 17 and 18 on the west branch (third fork) and at 38 on the east branch.

A view of this rough path looking north from 5 is shown in Fig. 6. It is unlikely, as stated above (p. 115), that this road, or either of its branches, represents the Via Valeria.

The best-preserved pieces of the pavement are at points 3, 4, and 17.

3 lies partly under the house-wall.

4 seems to be a piece of the eastern crepido lying along the middle of the path, composed of fifteen contiguous, rectangular blocks and



FIGURE 6. - VIA CIVITA, LOOKING NORTHWARD FROM 5

four scattered ones. Some of the blocks are 1.4 m. long. The visible face of one measures  $65 \times 75$  cm., of another at one end of the line  $74 \times 82$  cm. A cross-section of the pavement at this point may be seen under the western hedge. Its original width could not be ascertained.

17 lies in the open space before the house at the third fork (see Fig. 7). The photograph shows some of the pale-gray limestone pavement and a piece of the eastern

erepido. The surface of one stone measured  $60 \times 110$  cm. In a bit of pavement lying at 18 beyond the left corner of the house, one stone measured  $60 \times 140$  cm. At the left of the view below the man is the edge of the modern path that turns off here to the west; the edge of the other path that branches off eastward is seen on the right.



Although the fields to the east and west of points 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 are already thinly strewn with insignificant fragments of ancient bricks, tiles, and pottery, the fortified part of the town does not seem to have extended south of point 15 at the second fork, where the contours indicate a narrow neck, just as they indicate another farther north at point 38.

At 15 the land drops rather abruptly on the west side. Here, about a third

of the way down the hill, at points 7, 8, 9, are low pieces of what was apparently a citywall of much-weathered polygonal and rectangular tufa blocks, one of which measures  $53 \times 60 \times 45$  cm. In Fig. 8 the polygonal blocks at 7 may be seen at the bottom of the stretch of wall in the centre of the view, the second fork being above at the left by the house.<sup>1</sup> At 9 (where the blocks are rectangular and at a higher level) this wall reaches its southern limit and turns eastward; but only 1.5 m. of the latter stretch is visible as a single course above ground. At 6, on the other (east) side of the neck, are two or three huge, well-joined rectangular blocks of it, apparently *in situ*, supporting the southeast edge of the fork. Their face-dimensions are about  $130 \times 62$  cm. The tops of several more are visible at 15 in the second fork itself, in front of the south wall of the house. This place must obviously have been the site of a gate, and the remains of one here are, indeed, mentioned by Holstenius and Revillas (*loc. cit.*).

Besides these remnants of a tufa wall there are near by, at 10 and 11, also fragments of an apparently later, at least better-built, limestone wall which, at these points, stood about 5 m, west of the present road at the very edge of the plateau. Its rectangular blocks, which are very well laid on their long sides, measure on the exposed faces generally about  $38 \times 90$  cm, or  $38 \times 95$  cm, sometimes  $38 \times 100$  cm. It is to be regretted that the good high piece, 10, still seen by us on our first visit, has since totally dis-

<sup>1</sup> As all the stones of this wall are flat-faced and pretty well joined, — apparently without mortar, — even the polygonal parts of it present nowhere as rule an appearance as the walls of Artena, though this is partly due, no doubt, to the difference in material: they resemble rather, for instance, the polygonal limestone walls on the south slope and top of the hill at Praeneste (now Palestrina). The parts built of rectangular stones (cf. especially No. 52, p. 119, and Fig. 9) probably looked, when standing, very much like the walls of the Roman Varia, which may be seen on the south side of Vicovaro, while passing in the train. appeared, having been broken up — so an old peasant told us — to repair the road. Only a mass of concrete, 13, which stood between it and the road, remains<sup>1</sup> at present.

Of both the tufa wall and the limestone wall we found fragments at other points. A walk up the west side from 15 to the northern extremity and down again on the east side revealed low pieces, more or less considerable, of the tufa wall at 20, 21, 26, 27, 31, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 (top of a fine arch), and at 52; but scattered loose blocks of tufa, probably likewise from it, occur at intermediate points, especially on the slopes at 28, 29, 37*a*, west of 39, at 47, 50, between 52 and 54, and, finally, built into the road-supporting wall at 59. At the last-mentioned place one stone measures on

its exposed face  $33 \times 150$  cm. Other stones are from 65 to 100 cm. long.

The best piece, recently brought to view by quarrying, lies at 52 (Fig. 9). Here may be observed outermost (at the right in the view) a line of headers; lying behind them a line of stretchers, and above these, farther back in the hillside, again headers and stretchers. A wellpreserved typical block measured  $41 \times 54 \times 95$  cm.

The fact should be noted that the tufa wall seen at this

point is of opus quadratum (resembling that of similar structures on the Palatine Hill in Rome and elsewhere), while at point 7 it is built in the polygonal style, a style rarely seen in early tufa walls. Excavation would probably decide whether this difference in construction is due to a difference in age, or whether the polygonal work merely served for an embanking-wall and foundation to the other masonry. It is like that described and figured in Ann. dell Inst., 1831, p. 411, pl. F. 4.

The remnants of the tufa wall are only lower courses of it, and are situated more or less below the present edge of the plateau on the slopes. When the wall was complete and its top much higher, the earth within probably abutted against it at plateaulevel, the recession of the edge of the plateau being due to erosion since its removal.

Of the limestone wall, too, there are other fragments besides those mentioned above, p. 118. Built, as stated, of blocks well squared and laid, its remains lie always within those of the tufa wall, and, where they are sufficiently high, have kept the edge of the plateau unchanged from erosion, as at 22 (Fig. 10), 30, and possibly at 48. Loose blocks, similar to those composing it, lie at 49 and one east of 38 in the field.



FIGURE 8. - THE WEST SLOPE OF THE SILE AT THE SECOND FORK, 15

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cyclopic walls of limestone — no others — are mentioned by Westphal (*loc. cit.* p. 115, note 2, above); but this seems to be merely a case of inaccurate observation. He meant apparently the polygonal tufa wall and took its material to be limestone.

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These remains of the walls are certainly not a "great part" of them.<sup>1</sup> As to their age, a discussion of it would — in the absence of excavations — have little value. Of towers we saw nothing at all, but possibly the parallel tufa walls at 31 (cf. p. 122) belonged to one. On the other hand, they may have belonged to a gate.

Besides the paved road and the two walls described we saw at Carsioli also a few fragments of walls and floors of buildings and cisterns, and a very few scattered



FIGURE 9. - A QUARRY IN THE CIRCUIT-WALL OF TUFA AT 52

miscellaneous fragments and smaller objects, such as column-drums, altars, pedestals, eornices, terra-cottas, pottery, and tiles, but only poor, defective specimens of all. Many of these being available for burning lime will no doubt soon disappear in the large kiln at 32, which we have seen smoking, and the smaller one, near 40. A list of these objects follows, beginning at the second fork.

Most of them have little interest in the present state of the site, but we record them all for the benefit of future excavators. Their numbers refer likewise to the Plan on PLATE XV.

12. A fragment of an opus incertum wall under the west side of the house in the second fork: Fig. 11, a view from the south.

<sup>1</sup> See Smith's Dictionary of Greek and Roman Geography, p. 526 and p. 114, above,

13. A fragment of a concrete wall or of a foundation to the west of 12, close to the outer edge of the road. In Fig. 8 it lies under the bushes to the right of the house and trees near the left margin.

14. One end of a concrete cistern lined with opus signinum and the commencements of two side-walls with a quarter-round cement filling in the angles. The inner width is 2.4 m., and the adjoining side-walls are respectively 1.1 m. and 1.25 m. thick. In Fig. 8 this is the mass of stone seen farthest to the right.

16. A part of a building in opus incertum of the local pale-gray limestone with buttress-like fragments of cross-walls. Some ancient colored wall-plaster still adheres



FIGURE 10, - THE WALL OF RECTANGULAR LIMESTONE BLOCKS AT 22

near the angles. In Fig. 12 (from the west) it is the upper wall to the left of and including the two buttresses in the centre. The other walls in this view are modern, but contain some ancient blocks.

18. At the left-hand corner of the house, Fig. 7, the drum of a travertine column about 30 cm. in diameter with shallow flutings. Near by we saw a broken limestone mortar shaped like a truncated cone and open at the wider end (dimensions: 30 cm. high, 5 cm. thick at the rim, 12.5 cm. deep, 26 cm. largest external diameter). To the east of the house by the path lay a fluted marble drum, 39 cm. in diameter, and a fragment of a plain round column, 40 cm. in diameter.

19. A fragment of an altar (?) of gray limestone in front of the house, without ornament or inscription. Diagrams with dimensions in centimetres in Fig. 13.



23. Two four-sided capitals of limestone alike in shape and size, Fig. 14. The square top of each has a round hole. Diagrams with dimensions in centimetres in Fig. 15.

24. A low curved wall of concrete about 60 cm. high, 40 cm. thick, and 2 m. long, of a building called by the natives San Pietro; <sup>1</sup> it may be a remnant of a mediaeval Christian church. It is probable that an earlier Roman sanctuary stood here or near by, as fragments of terra-cotta Roman type and numerous

FIGURE 11. - A FRAGMENT OF AN OPUS INCERTUM WALL AT 12

ex-votos (hands, feet, faces, and the like) of the usual Roman type and numerous small fragments of ancient black and red pottery occur in the field below.

25. Just above 24, short pieces of two parallel opus incertum walls, 3.2 m. apart and each about 30 cm. thick, perhaps belonging to the same building as 24.

31. (Cf. also p. 120.) Probably the site of a gate, perhaps also of a tower. There is a reëntrant angle in the edge of the plateau, through which a path at present descends into the valley. This path is crossed here by two parallel tufa walls visible under foot in the ground, 2.43 m. apart and each 1 m. thick. Beside the path on the east side are two fluted drums of marble.

32. A large kiln, like a deep round pit, into whose earth sides ancient tufa walls

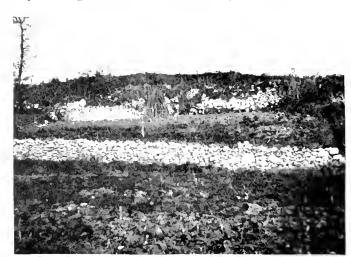


FIGURE 12. - THE WEST SLOPE OF THE SITE AT 16

run radially, one from the east, another from the north, a third from the south. The latter two pieces appear to be parts of the same wall, 40 cm, thick, that lies at a right angle to the other wall, 82 cm, thick, running east and west.

<sup>1</sup> Apparently not the church mentioned by Holstenius; see p. 112, above.

33. The place where stood, until recently, under the edge of the plateau, a fine and very typical piece of an opus incertum wall of pale-gray native limestone, shown in

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FIGURE 13. — VERTICAL SECTION AND TOP-VIEW OF AN ALTAR (?) AT 19

Fig. 16. It has been destroyed for the making of lime. Close to its south end a narrow rectangular drain, 25 cm, wide and eovered by tufa slabs, issued from the declivity.

34. A small piece of a concrete wall, standing just north of 33, against the edge of the plateau.

35. A thick mass of concrete, producing a sharp corner in the plateau-edge just above the modern fountain in the valley. This fountain, fed by a spring, seems to be at present the only source of clear cold water on the site of Carsioli. If the spring was used in ancient times, it was probably reached by a path from point 31 or 38, or both.

36. A heap of ancient rubbish (bricks, mortared stones, pieces of colored marble) within the area of the city.

37. A rectangular concrete floor, about  $3.5 \times 5$  m., with a low limestone border along its northern margin.

39. A mass of concrete in the path northwest of the fourth fork, close to the east end of the house; and another, larger one, protruding a little out of the path a few metres off to the east.

40. The highest point of Carsioli; <sup>1</sup> a mound of Roman rubbish, bearing a large tree, and probably concealing the remains of a considerable building. Three metres to the southwest of the tree are the four walls, in opus incertum, of a rectangular chamber,  $4 \times 6$  m. They rise to about 1 m. above the ground within.

41. The circle marked here indicates a modern paved threshing-floor, quite like those used also in Greece at this day. Southwest of it, near a small lime-kiln, lies a single straight course of well-laid rectangular tufa blocks, suggesting the edge of a platform. The stretch, which may be



FIGURE 14. - A FOUR-SIDED CAPITAL AT 23

traced for 13 m., is in two pieces, the larger being 5.5 m. long. One block in it measured  $45 \times 87 \times 30$  cm. The wall does not resemble the pieces of tufa circuit-wall in other places, and, being only a single course thick, might have belonged to a tower. On the hill west of 41, partly indicated on PLATE XV, are no traces of ancient occu-

<sup>1</sup> On or near this elevation must have been situated the church mentioned by Holstenius and Phoebonius (*loc, cit.*), but of the exact spot we could not be sure.

pation or fortification-walls, so that it apparently lay outside of the city. From the latter it is separated by a distinct wide depression in the ground, which, however, shows no evidence of artificial deepening. It would have been quite natural to exclude this hill, since with it much more land would have had to be taken in and the town thus made less defensible.

By walking from here in a northwesterly direction across the Bosco di Oricola toward Vallinfredda, a little town south of Vivaro Romano, one reaches at a distance of about 2 km, the probable remains of the aqueduct that supplied Carsioli with water from the foothills on the west side of the valley traversed by the Fosso Sesara.<sup>1</sup> These remains are indicated both on the Staff-map, PLATE XIII, and on the Map of Revillas, Fig. 5.

The structure is called Muro Pertuso (cf. p. 113, above) and consists of fragments of a broad, more or less ruinous wall of rough but still solid opus incertum with good white mortar, 1.85 m, wide over all, 5 m, to 6 m, high in the best-preserved parts, and

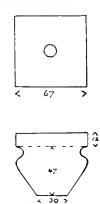


FIGURE 15. — TOP-VIEW AND VERTICAL SEC-TION OF THE CAPITALS AT 23

strengthened at intervals of 4.55 m. by buttresses on each side, 89 cm. thick and projecting 45 cm. Near the fosso, or brook, they are larger, but could not be measured. The total length across the valley above ground is 198 m., with a large gap of 30 m. at the stream. There are no traces of arches, the wall having apparently been solid throughout, no traces of a specus, and no certain traces of the characteristic stratified deposit of carbonate of lime from the interior of a specus. The absence of such deposit would, however, be easily accounted for if rain-water was collected. Nevertheless, the structure can hardly have been anything else but an aqueduct, and is apparently of Roman date, judging from the excellence of the mortar and from the fact that its dimensions correspond fairly well with the Roman foot-unit Besides, Roman aqueducts without arches are not (296 mm.). unknown: small ones were sometimes built in that way. Mr. Charles Roach Smith, in Collectanea Antiqua, vol. VII, 1878-80,

pp. 32, 33, pl. x, describes and figures one, which served as a feeder to the great Roman aqueduct that supplied the city of Nemausus (now Nimes in southern France), the same aqueduct to which belongs the celebrated Pont du Gard near Remoulins (Dept. Gard). The tributary aqueduct, which looks like a high broad wall, was built, to judge by the drawing, of small irregular stones (opus incertum). It carried an open channel, was without arches, and collected rain-water.

Figure 3 on PLATE XIV is a bird's-eye view of the aqueduet of Carsioli from the west edge of the plateau. At the bottom of this view it disappears into the hillside, and, as there are no traces of its further course to the north or south in the valley, it evidently went underground eastward to the town. Figure 2 on PLATE XIV is a general view of the best-preserved portion of it from the south; Figure 4 on PLATE XIV, a nearer view of an interval between two buttresses.

<sup>1</sup> This marked the former frontier between the States of the Church and the Kingdom of Naples, and is still the boundary here between the provinces of Aquila and Rome.

Resuming now our excursion over the site of Carsioli, there are next to be noted, in the hollow below points 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 (fragments of the tufa wall), numerous but worthless bits of ancient black and red pottery.

We then reach the northernmost end of Carsioli, and walk around it to the east side. Henceforth many of the objects yet to be mentioned can also be located on the Panorama, PLATE XIV, 1.

It has already been pointed out that there was a south gate at the second fork, probably a west gate at 31, and perhaps another at 38.



FIGURE 16. — A WALL OF OPUS INCERTUM AT 33 Now destroyed

47. Here was apparently the site of a postern.<sup>1</sup> for we have, just under the edge of the plateau, an interesting well-preserved arch, of which the top is visible beside the path that skirts this long narrow terminal spur. Seven blocks, including the central keystone, are exposed, the rest no doubt buried in the soil. The outer width of the large block at the left of the view (Fig. 17) is 54 cm. The clear span of the arch, assuming it to be nearly semieircular, is about 2 m., but it could not be exactly determined without excavation.

In the path near by are embedded several large tufa blocks, and in the wall supporting it are more of the same kind; a huge one, about 2.5 m. to the north, being apparently *in situ*.

<sup>1</sup> The same that is mentioned by Phoebonius (loc. cit.), p. 112, above.

48. Eight rectangular contiguous, but broken, limestone blocks in a straight line, which represent, if not a piece of a limestone circuit-wall (see p. 118 above), perhaps the edge of a terrace or pavement. One is 1.10 m. long and 35 em. thick.

49. Other limestone blocks, like those at 48, in the wall supporting the path; the face of one measures  $120 \times 30$  cm.

50. A single tufa block  $60 \times 60 \times 30$  em.

51. Terminal wall of a vaulted chamber or cistern in opus incertum (Fig. 18) at the east end of a great heap of Roman rubbish, which forms a mound like that at 40, and probably conceals a building. This might be a part of the church mentioned by Holstenius and by Phoebonius, *loc. cit.*, p. 112 above.<sup>1</sup>

53. A block of concrete advancing boldly from the edge of the plateau below some huts. This lies just south of the quarried piece of the tufa wall at 52.



FIGURE 17. - THE ARCH OF A POSTERN OF TUFA AT 47

54. Two short pieces of walls in opus incertum respectively east and west of the house. Here was seen the only fragment of ornamental marble-work on the site, a good white eornice, 30 cm. long and about 7 or 8 cm. wide, with an egg and dart design. We noted also close by a few fractured Roman flange-tiles now serving as covers for beehives. From the house a path deseends into the plain, passing at some distance a large tree (see north end of Panorama,

PLATE XIV, 1), near which, at 55, are two or three rectangular blocks of tufa, 45 cm. wide, forming the angle of a wall, possibly a part of a tomb.

56. A piece of coarse white Roman floor-mosaic with a simple black border, projecting from the slope above the path that leads hence to the fourth fork.

57. South of 54, in a field, an uninscribed and undecorated pedestal of white marble, 145 cm. in height and  $35 \times 58$  cm. in cross-section.

Between 57 and 37*a* stands an insignificant little fragment of an opus incertum wall.

Following the westward path back to the fourth fork, we go southward by the Via Civita past 38 (pavement; also close by to the east a piece, ca. 1 m. long, of a large plain limestone cornice) and 37 (concrete floor), and then skirt the east edge of the plateau, until we reach, a little this side of the second fork, a foot-path that runs eastward at a right angle across an intervening hollow to point 58.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A rough sketch in the manuscript of Revillas (reproduced in PLATE XVI, 3) may be intended to represent this structure; but our photograph (Fig. 21) shows that it was of opus incertum, while Revillas indicates a building with walls of rectangular blocks.

58. This is a solitary stone house (Fig. 19, from the west, Fig. 20, from the east). The owner of it showed us a broken Roman brick, bearing the inscription  $L \cdot E \cdot GNE \dots$  in a rectangle, 27 mm. high. The letters are about 16 mm. high, the color is brown. We have not found the stamp recorded

in the Corpus.

The cottage stands partly on the site of a rectangular Roman edifice, covering and including about one-half of its remains. Of the ancient building only the podium or platform and some courses of the walls are preserved, both built of big squared blocks of tufa. The long dimension runs roughly from north to south. The walls, consisting of a single thickness of stones, measured on the outside  $17.25 \times 7.4$  m. The podium at its southern end, which alone could be examined, was 8.85 m. wide. If we assume that it extends for the same distance beyond the walls on all four sides, it would be about 18.7 m. long.

The horizontal width of some of the blocks on the east side (Fig. 20) was 1.05 m., 75 cm., and 90 cm. One block in the southeast corner measured  $100 \times 69 \times 50$  cm. In the housewall on the west side stood three courses of the ancient blocks *in situ*.



FIGURE 18. — A TERMINAL WALL OF A VAPILTED CHAMBER OR CISTERN AT 51

No other architectural fragments or objects of any kind lay about. The building seems to have stood outside of the fortifications on the flat, broad spur by itself. Anyway, we saw nowhere along the outline of the latter any traces of a wall.

We cannot say with certainty that the edifice was a temple or shrine, but still that is quite likely, judging from the situation and the style. If so, the podium is unusually, though not unprecedentedly, narrow ( $8.85 \times 18.7$  m.), as a comparison of it, in the following table, with the podia of a number of other Roman temples reveals.<sup>1</sup> The dimensions of the latter are taken from Richard Delbrück's *Das Capitolium von Signia*, Rome, 1903 [A]; *Die drei Tempel am Forum holitorium*, Rome, 1903, Loescher und Co. [B]: *Baugeschichtliches aus Mittelitalien*, in *Mittheilungen*, Röm. Abth., 1903 (2), pp. 141–163 [C]; and from *Notizie degli Seavi*, 1903, p. 232 [D].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the table the podia are grouped to some extent by their geographic distribution, and their recorded dimensions are reduced to simple terms. This arrangement makes evident in some cases a certain correspondence between dimensions and locality, the same proportions occurring several times in a given locality or region, as one would naturally expect.

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Podium at Carsioli	$8.85 \times 18.70$ m. = 1 : 2.11
Podium at Alba (A, p. 21) $\ldots$	$14.50 \times 20.77$ m, $= 1:1.43$
Podium at Fiamignano (A, p. 24).	$5.30 \times 8.40 \text{ m.} = 1:1.58$
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Podium at Alba, San Pietro (B, p. 27)	$16.00 \times 24.00 \text{ m.} = 1:1.50$
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Podium at Alba, 3d temple (B, p. 27) ca.	$17.50 \times 17.50$ m. = 1 : 1.00
Podium at Marzobotto, Temple D (B, p. 28)	$9.10 \times 9.20 \text{ m.} = 1:1.01$
Podium at Marzobotto, Temple C (B, p. 29) . ca.	$17.25 \times 17.25$ m. = 1 : 1.00
Podium at Tivoli, Temple of Sibyl (B, p. 30)	$8.00 \times 15.00$ m. = 1 : 1.87
a contraint of a first y	$12.90 \times 22.80 \text{ m.} = 1:1.77$
	$9.92 \times 20.47 \text{ m.} = 1:2.06$
Podium at Norba (B. p. $30$ ) <sup>1</sup>	$8.16 \times 16.50 \text{ m}. = 1:2.02$
Podium at Segni (B, p. 30)	$23.00 \times 40.00 \text{ m} = 1 : 1.74$
Podium at Nemi (B. p. 31)	$15.90 \times 30.00 \text{ m.} = 1:1.89$
Podium at Paestum, Corintho-Doric temple (B, p. 32).	$13.40 \times 25.60 \text{ m}. = 1:1.91$
Podium at Pompeii, Temple of Apollo (B, p. 33) .	$12.25 \times 20.00 \text{ m}. = 1:1.63$

59. A piece of the long wall that supports the east side of the eastern road for some distance beyond the second fork (Fig. 21). The wall is modern but partly built



FIGURE 19. — THE HOUSE AND RUIN AT 58 From the southwest

of ancient blocks, and, since the road upon it runs along the eastern edge of the plateau as far as the fourth fork, the wall probably stands more or less on the site of the ancient tufa circuit-wall.

60. A fallen Roman milestone of the Via Valeria, already mentioned on pp. 111 and 115, and reproduced in Figure 22. It is of pale-gray limestone, 1.9 m. high, 74 em. in diameter at the base and, according to Gori, like another now preserved in the Villa Massimo at Arsoli (C.I.L. IX, 5963). It lies

east-northeast from 58, and, for reasons already given (p. 115), probably at or near its original place by the ancient road. It is recorded in the following words merely as existing in C.I.L. IX, 5964, having been seen by Gori:

"<sup>4</sup> A Civita [id est Carsiolis] *verso la contrada Nasetta* colonna milliaria eguale a quella esistente *ad* Arsoli, col numero XXXXI.<sup>\*</sup> Ha Gori nuova guida I p. 35 (cf. p. 60)<sup>2</sup> solus; cui si fides est nec loco mota est columna, probabile est eam olim numerum habuisse XXXXII.<sup>\*</sup>

<sup>1</sup> See also Notizie degli Scavi, 1901, pp. 534 and 541.

<sup>2</sup> Pp. 115 and 140 in *Giornale areadico*, tomo CLXXXII (1864).

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Portions of the two uppermost lines containing the numerals and the imperial title we were able to read with the naked eye, and in part they may be seen even on our photograph, Fig. 22. More we could not make out from the stone itself, but in a



FIGURE 20.— THE HOUSE AND RUN AT 58 From the southeast

rubbing obtained with a leather pad and black lead on tissue paper, when held about six feet off (a good way to read rubbings of defective inscriptions), we could easily decipher the remaining lines. The text is as follows:

> X X X X iii? IMP NErva CAESAR AVGustus PONTIFEX MAXimus TRIBVNICIA POTESTATE COS III PATER PATRIAE FACIENDAM CVRAVIT

It agrees, excepting a detail of arrangement, and, of eourse, the mile-number, with the inscription on the milestone XXXVIII (C.I.L. IX, 5963), mentioned above. The tribunicial power inscribed, being the first of the Emperor Nerva,<sup>1</sup> confirms our reading of the consulship as the third, which puts the erection of the stone into  $\Lambda$ .D. 97.

<sup>1</sup> Cf. R. Cagnat, Cours d'Épigraphie Latine. 3d ed. Paris, 1898, p. 187.

The conclusion of the *Corpus* that the mile-number was probably XXXXIII is apparently correct, as will appear from the following considerations:

The Antonine Itinerary (cf. C.I.L. 1X, p. 204) gives the distance from Rome to Carsioli by the Via Tiburtina and the Via Valeria as 42 Roman miles: the Tabula



FIGURE 2I. - ROAD-SUPPORTING WALL AT 59, CONTAINING ANCIENT BLOCKS OF TUFA

*Peutingeriana* (*ibid.*) as 43 miles, both assuming the distance from Rome to Tibur to be 20 miles.

The station Lamnae lay 13 miles beyond Tibur at the 33rd mile, where the Osteria della Ferrata now stands (see Maps on PLATE XIII, and Fig. 5). Here the Via Valeria divided into two roads.

One, which we will call A, kept more or less straight on and passed west of Mte. S. Elia by way of Riofreddo and the convent of San Giorgio to Carsioli. This is the road described as Via Valeria

by Raffaello Fabretti (*De Aquis et Aquaeductibus Diss. tres*, 1680, p. 86 and map at p. 64), by Sir R. Colt Hoare (*loc. cit.*), and by J. H. Westphal (*Die römische Kampagne*, Berlin, 1829, p. 115), who wrote of it:

" Sie [the Via Valeria] führt zunächst an den vorliegenden Bergen aufwärts steigend, nach dem 3 Miglien entfernten Dorfe *Rio Freddo*, wo ein Stück von ihr, das erste alte Pflaster seit Tivoli, siehtbar ist und hierauf nach dem nur wenig weiter gelegenen Kasale von San Giorgio, wo rechts ein Weg [we will call this C] auf *Arsoli* und nach der *Via Sublacensis* abbiegt, der altes Pflaster zeigt. Die *Via Valeria* selbst ist von San Giorgio an, eine Streeke hindurch nicht mehr im Gebrauch, sondern der jetzige Weg geht etwas rechts zur Osteria del Cavaliere."

The other road, which we will call B, that branched off to the *right* at Lamnae, continued up the Anio valley. On it, near the point where the 36th milestone should have stood, an important discovery was recently made (*Notizie degli Scavi*, 1890, p. 160) of four milestones, within a few yards one of another, but none of them standing up.

Of two of these milestones, which both bear the number XXXVI, one has no other inscription and perhaps belongs to the time of Nero, who constructed the Via Sublacensis; the other bears two inscriptions of much later date, one belonging to A.D. 305-306 (cf. C.I.L. 1X, 5967), the other to a few years later.

The third milestone, which is without a number, was erected between A.D. 367-375. The fourth milestone cannot be read with certainty.

At this 36th mile from Rome, however, the Anio valley road (B) divided once more, one branch continuing as the Via Sublacensis southeastward. The other turned sharply to the north (this is the ancient branch-road (C) mentioned by Westphal), crossed the Ponte Scutonico (cf. p. 108 and Figs. 2 and 3) and gently climbed along the slope to Arsoli, running above and nearly parallel to the modern highway. In the defile north of Arsoli it crossed the Ponte di San Giorgio. We could not find any of its pavement, but saw several pieces of a splendid polygonal supporting-wall south of Arsoli (cf. also Annali dell'Instituto, 1829, p. 44, note ( $^{*}$ ): 1831, p. 411, pl. F. 4). On it near Arsoli at a distance of about 5 Roman miles from Lamnae (Ost. della Ferrata, Maps, PLATE XIII), or about 2 Roman miles from the above-mentioned milestones bearing the number XXXVI, was found that finely preserved milestone, bearing the number XXXVIII (*C.I.L.* IX, 5963), now kept in the Villa Massimo at Arsoli. It was known to Stevenson as well as R. Fabretti (*op. cit.* p. 88).

If, inversely, this is the 43rd milestone and near its original site, which there is no reason whatever to doubt, then the 42nd milestone stood roughly about 150 m.

southwest of the commencement of the Via Civita, the *diverticulum* from the Via Valeria to the town: and then, if one measures the entire distance from our milestone by the Ponte Scutonico back to Lamnae, that should be 10 Roman miles, which, indeed, it almost exactly is.<sup>2</sup>

Curiously enough, the Tabula Peutingeriana (C.I.L. IX, p. 204) gives for the distance Lamnae-Carsioli 10 miles, and, as we have already noted, for the total distance Rome-Carsioli 43



FIGURE 22. - MILESTONE XXXXIII OF THE VIA VALERIA AT 60

miles! Since the town, being very long and narrow, lay really *beyond* the 42nd milestone and *at* the 43rd rather than this side of it, the disagreement of the two ltineraries is readily explained.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cf. Westphal, loc. cit. (p. 130, above).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> By way of Riofreddo (road A) the distance from Lamnae to Carsioli is about  $6\frac{1}{2}$  Roman miles. The latter town would then lie beyond the 39th milestone, and ours would be the 40th. But this agrees, as we have shown, neither with the Itineraries nor the other milestones nearer Rome on roads B and C.

Hence it appears unquestionable that the important Roman highway of this region, known as the Via Valeria, ran (at least at the time when all the above-mentioned stones were in use) from Lamnae up the Anio valley as far as the 36th milestone, branched off northward near the latter, crossed the Ponte Seutonico and the Ponte di San Giorgio, and so reached Carsioli.

From the following remark by Frontinus (ca. A.D. 35-103, hence a contemporary of Nerva) about the intake of the Aqua Marcia, in *De Aquis Urbis Romae*, I, 7, it is clear that also for him the Via Valeria up to the 36th mile lay in the Anio valley, and not behind the mountains to the northwest:

"concipitur Marcia uia Valeria ad miliarium tricesimum sextum deuerticulo euntibus ab urbe Romae dextrorsus milium passuum trium. Sublacensi autem, quae sub Nerone principe primum strata est, ad miliarium tricesimum octauum sinistrorsum intra passus ducentos fontium..., sub..., bus petrei..., stat immobilis stagni modo coloro praeuiridi."

On the other hand, there can be no doubt, if the authors quoted above (pp. 114, 130) may be relied upon, that there existed also an ancient paved road going from Lamnae by way of the present Riofreddo to Carsioli; but of this we have found no pavement, nor are any milestones known. Such a road might have been originally or at some later time projected and even built for the Via Valeria, and then again more or less abandoned, as that route is now. The view that it was always considered and exclusively used as the Via Valeria seems quite untenable.

Before leaving this subject, a remarkable fact concerning the distance from Rome to Carsioli should at least be touched upon here. The Antonine Itinerary and the milestone-numbers agree in giving it as 42 miles. The distance from Tibur to Carsioli being actually 22 miles, 20 miles remain for the distance Tibur-Rome by the Via Tiburtina. The Itineraries give it thus, and so does a well-known epigram by Martial (IV, 57) alluding to Tibur:

Tu colis Argei regnum, Faustine, coloni, Quo te bis decimus ducit ab urbe lapis.
Herculeos colles gelida vos vincite bruma, Nunc Tiburtinis cedite frigoribus."

It is therefore very strange that direct measurement by the Via Tiburtina, as we know it, does not give more than about 18 Roman miles, so that all stations on the Via Valeria, which began at Tibur, notwithstanding the numbers on its stones, were actually 2 miles nearer Rome than indicated.

Westphal has suggested an explanation of the discrepancy (op. cit. pp. 120–122), — but the discussion of this problem is reserved by Mr. Ashby for another place.

The inscription on the milestone XXXXIII at 60 and the brickstamp noted on p. 127 are the only epigraphic contribution we are able to make from Carsioli. The inscriptions already found there and in the neighborhood are recorded in *C.I.L.* IX, 4051–4102; in *Ephemeris epigraphica*. VIII. p. 48, 196 (also *Notizie degli Scavi*, 1884, p. 86), and in *Notizie degli Scavi*, 1901, p. 441. Some of these we saw ourselves.

61 and 62 are two heaps of ancient brick rubbish lying a little to the southwest of the milestone: they once belonged probably to one or more Roman tombs on the Via Valeria, perhaps to that mentioned by Gori (*op. cit.* p. 35, or *G. are.* p. 115).

A fine parting view of the site of Carsioli is obtained from the higher land a little to the west of the milestone: it is the Panorama reproduced in PLATE XIV.

The ancient town appears to have given its name, slightly altered, to two modern towns, indeed very likely furnished some building-materials for them, namely, Arsŏli<sup>1</sup> to the southwest and Carsōli<sup>2</sup> to the northeast (cf. Maps, PLATE XIII). At Arsoli



FIGURE 23.—A VIEW OF THE MODERN TOWN OF CARSOLI From the railway-station

the castle of Prince Massimo contains some inscriptions and other local antiquities already known. The other town, Carsoli, is picturesquely situated on and about a castle-crowned hill that stands in the centre of a narrow mountain-valley (Fig. 23). To walk to its railway-station from the ancient site requires about 45 minutes. From there an evening train may be conveniently taken back to Rome.

On the way to the station lie a few more objects of interest.

Northeastward from the milestone stands the railway guard-house, Casello 72, on the embankment. It is a suitable place for crossing the track. In the walls bordering

<sup>1</sup>See Historic Notes, Appendix I, p. 138.

the latter are embedded ancient worn paving-stones, like those seen near Il Cavaliere, which seems to prove that the Via Valeria passed near here, but has disappeared because its pavement has been taken up.

A rough road runs along the eastern wall northward. In it at some places Roman paving-stones still lie in the ground, so that we are here on the line of the Via Valeria



FIGURE 24. - THE DOOR OF THE CHURCH OF S. MARIA ANNUNZIATA AT CARSOLI

itself. At a short distance northward, to the east of the road, are scanty concrete foundations of a wayside tomb. Continuing, we reach the excellent modern highway near the present bridge over the shallow little river Turano, east of which may be observed the ruined ends of an old brick bridge, that seems to have stood on or very near the site of an earlier Roman bridge (Gori, *op. cit.* p. 60, or *G. arc.* p. 140). A few scattered stones, of apparently Roman workmanship, that may have belonged to such a structure, lie in the gravelly stream-bed near by, and others are incorporated in the

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foundations of the old brick bridge.<sup>1</sup> Always following the earth-road that runs along through the fields and meadows slightly to the south of the highway, we arrive in about 20 minutes at a plain little stone church with a square campanile (now known as S. Maria Annunziata),<sup>2</sup> connected by a short foot-path with the modern highway. Where that path and the field-road by which we have approached from the south meet, there stands in the southern angle the fragment of a round marble column, 50 cm. in diameter, which was also a Roman milestone (mentioned by Fabretti, *op. eit.* p. 87, and recorded in *C.I.L.* IX, 5966). At present, however, its inscription is illegible.

The Romanesque doorway of the little church (Fig. 24) is adorned with wellpreserved sculptured ornaments. On the sides and the round arch are conventional vines and scrolls with foliage, both in low relief upon an incised flat background, the vines starting from the tails of griffins and other quadrupeds. On the lintel are: in the centre, the lamb; on either side of it two figures, symbolic of the evangelists, each holding a book. The work is probably of about the eleventh or twelfth century.<sup>3</sup>

The church is in part built of Roman remains: in the tower, in the walls, in the floor of the pulpit, behind the church on the ground, we saw cut stones with the inscriptions C.I.L. 1X, 4065, 4079, 4084, 4092, 4097 (cf. also *Notizie degli Scavi*, 1901, pp. 441, 442). Within the building, secured to one wall, are the two sadly weatherworn halves of an old carved wooden door, whose once magnificent panels displayed religious scenes.

Five minutes farther on lies the railway-station of Carsoli, from which the splendid view (Fig. 23) of the town was obtained. The latter seems to contain nothing of scientific interest to the archaeologist; but it has a new inn, the Albergo Umberto Primo, where he may refresh himself with excellent spaghetti and wine, and, if he chooses to spend the night in this bracing mountain-air, sleep in a good clean bed.

<sup>2</sup> There is doubt about its identity, though some modern writers connect it with the church of <sup>4</sup> Sancta Maria quae dicitur in Cellis '' (*Chron. Casin.* lib. H, cap. 23), for which Rainaldus, comes Marsorum, founded a monastery for the Benedictines in 998 A.D. (cf. *C.I.L.* IX, 4065, 4079, 4084, 4092, 4097, and *Notizie degli Seavi*, 1901, p. 441). However, according to Corsignani (*Reggia Marsicana*, 1, p. 214), S. Maria in Cellis was damaged (if not destroyed) by Manfred in 1260 A.D., and he speaks as if it did not exist in his own time (*ibid.* p. 197). Phoebonius, on the other hand, mentions it as still extant in 1678 (*ap. cit.* p. 204), and as not far from the castle.

The milestone in front of the little church (see below) is said by the *Corpus* to be at La Nunziata, but by Fabretti (*op. cit.* p. 87) "prae foribus Ecclesiae B. Virginis de Carmelo."

Corsignani calls it S. Maria del Carmine (cf. also C.I.L. IX, 4087); but Madonna del Carmine was probably the name of another church near Carsoli, which was connected with a Carmelite convent, suppressed in 1652.

<sup>3</sup> Compare G. T. Rivoira, Le Origini dell' Architettura Lombarda, etc., 1901, vol. I, p. 200, fig. 273, and p. 248, fig. 318.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Roman remains in this neighborhood have been briefly recorded also by A. de Nino (*Notizie degli Scavi*, 1901, pp. 441, 442). He observed the ancient bridges, traces of the Via Valeria and of tombs, but more of the latter than we did. His observations at that time did not include Carsioli. — Abont some ancient bridges likewise hereabouts, but probably nearer the modern Carsoli, cf. also Petri Antonii Corsignani *De Aniene et Viae Valeriae pontibus synoptica enarratio*, Rome, 1718, p. 45.

## APPENDIX I. - HISTORICAL NOTES

The site of Carsioli lay in the country of the Aequi, Aequani, Aequieuli, or Aequiculani, as they are variously called, and was probably occupied long before the Romans came into contact with them. They were an ancient hardy warlike people, mountaineers, fond of the chase, and much given to plundering their neighbors (Virgil, Aeneid, VII, 746–749). They were also the tillers of the superb high plains in that mountainous region of the peninsula, and, as Gori suggests (op. cit. p. 41, or G. arc. p. 121), may have received their name on that account (acquam, "a plain"; colere, "to dwell, till"). In the highlands about Fiamignano (Province of Aquila) there were still villages, he says, bearing the names Cicoli<sup>4</sup> and Cicolani; and there is an entire district still called the Cicolano, — modern names evidently connected with that distant age.

We know scarcely anything of their customs and institutions. Livy (1, 32) asserts that Numa borrowed from them the formalities used by the heralds in demanding reparation and proclaiming war ("ins ab antiqua gente Aequiculis, quod nunc fetiales habent, descripsit, quo res repetuntur," etc.), and Dionysius of Halicarnassus (H, 72) makes a statement to the same effect.

The Aequiculi often raided the Latin territory, harassed the Romans, and no doubt frequently proved superior to them in the guerilla warfare of their own mountains. After longcontinued conflicts (Livy, 11, 42; Diodorus Siculus, XI, 40) the Romans at last declared war against them under the consuls P. Sempronius Sophus and P. Sulpicius Saverrio (450 A.U.C. or 304 n.c.), and in fifty days stormed and destroyed thirty-one of their towns (forty, according to Diodorus Siculus, XX, 101), thus practically putting an end to their independence (Livy, 1X, 45).

Soon afterward the Romans seem to have established a colony of four thousand and a stronghold among them at Carsioli. The Marsi had apparently invaded that region about this time, and were holding it by force. At any rate, the report that they resisted the intrusion led at Rome to the appointment of M. Valerius Maximus as dictator. He marched against them and according to the account, defeated them in a single battle (Livy, X, 3). This would have occurred in 453 A.U.C. or 301 E.C. It is therefore probable that the colony was sent to Carsioli in or shortly before 301 E.C., — perhaps in 302 E.C., the date taken by Th. Mommsen (*The History of Rome*, 1903, vol. 1, pp. 484, 486).

Livy states in another place (X, I) that under the consuls L. Genucius Aventinensis and Ser. Cornelius Lentulus (*i.e.* in 451 A.v.c. or 303 n.c.) colonies were sent to Sora and Alba. We learn from his contemporary Velleius Patereulus (I, 14) that this was done two years before the establishment of Carsioli. Taking the two statements together, we obtain therefore for the date of the latter again about 301 n.c.

Nevertheless, the date is doubtful; for Livy speaks, — although only in a disconnected sentence, — of the establishment of a colony of four thousand Romans in those parts a second time, about three years later, in 456 A.U.C. or 298 B.C., during the consulship of L. Cornelius Scipio and Cn. Fulvius Centumalus (X, I3). This date is taken, as Mommsen takes the other, without any explanation as to its uncertainty, by J. Beloch (*Der italische Band*, 1880, p. 111), by J. Marquardt (*Römische Stuatsverwaltung*, vol. 1, 2nd ed. (1881), p. 50), and by B. Niese

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> For the mediaeval form of this name, see p. 138, note 2.

(Grundriss der Römischen Geschichte, 2nd ed. (1897), p. 46, in I. v. Müller's Hundbuch d. klass. Alterthumswissenschaft, vol. 111, 5)! We are obliged to agree with Chr. Hülsen (Pauly-Wissowa, Real-encyclopaedie d. klass. Alterthumswissenschaft, vol. 111 (1899), cols. 1615, 1616) that the question cannot be decided yet.

To account for the confusion in Livy some commentators, for instance Chanpy, believe that he merely repeated himself by drawing upon two sources following different systems of chronology. Tommaso Passeri, a modern local writer, contends (*La Colonia Carseolana*, etc., Rome, 1883) that we have really to do with two distinct Carsiolis, founded four years apart: an earlier one, ours, in the country occupied by the *Marsi*; a later one, — settled from it nearer the Anio valley on the present site of Arsoli, — called the Carsioli of the *Acquiculi*, the two tribes being separated by the range of mountains between. This explanation looks improbable.

We find Carsioli next mentioned in 543 A.U.C. or 211 E.C., at the time of the Punic Wars, among the thirty Latin colonies. It was one of those twelve whose envoys at Rome protested their inability to furnish further assistance in men or money (Livy, XXVII, 9). For that offence these colonies were subsequently called to account. Their magistrates and ten of their leading citizens were obliged to go to Rome to be disciplined, and finally levies all the more severe were exacted from them (Livy, XXIX, 15).

Carsioli was a strongly fortified station on the Via Valeria and occasionally used as a place of confinement for political prisoners. In 586 A.U.C. or 168 B.C., Bitis, son of the king of Thrace, was kept there, having been taken prisoner in the third Macedonian war by L. Aemilius Paullus II (Livy, XLV, 42).

In the sanguinary Social or Marsian War, 664–666 A.U.C. or 90–88 B.C., it was besieged and destroyed. "Nec Annibalis, nee Pyrrhi fuit tanta vastatio. — ecce Ocriculum, ecce Nomentum, ecce Faesulae, ecce Carseoli, Aesernia, Reati, Nuceria et Picentia caedibus ferro et igne vastantur... nam ipse Iulius Cacsar exercitu amisso cum in urbem cruentus referretur miserabili funere media urbe per viam defecit" (Florus, II. 6, 11–13).

It was rebuilt, however, and, since the Italians after the Social War were granted citizenship, probably became a *municipium*, belonging to the *tribus* Aniensis (W. Kubitschek, *De Romanarum Tribuum origine ac propagatione*, 1882, pp. 23, 65; J. Beloch, *Der Italische Band*, 1880, p. 38); but reports of it continue to be few and scant.

At the time of Augustus, Carsioli seems to have received more colonists: but, whether to repeople or strengthen it, we do not know. The absence of information is due in part probably to the general standstill, if not decline, which must have befallen many places of this kind, originally outposts, under the growth and increasingly centralized organization of the Roman power.

From that age dates the little story which Ovid tells of it in the *Fasti* (1V, 681–712). Journeying homeward, he stopped at Carsioli and enjoyed the hospitality of a friend, who told him that a twelve-year-old lad, the son of plain toiling peasants, having once captured a female fox, tied reeds and hay about the animal, set fire to them, and let her go. The fox ran off through the fields, — it was harvest-time, — and in turn kindled the grain; so that, — the wind blowing, — a great conflagration ensued, which destroyed the entire crop. "Hence a law at Carseoli forbidding — something about foxes, which the corruption of the manuscript has obscured for us." The aetiological character of this tale and its relation to the Cerealia of the 19th of April are discussed in W. Warde Fowler's *Roman Festivals* (London, 1899, pp. 77–79).

Pliny, a little later (N.H. III, 17), speaks of the inhabitants of Carsioli, *Carseolani*, together with the Acquiculani and Cliternini, as dwellers in the fourth Region. The names

of but a few have drifted down to us. To those mentioned on inscriptions recorded in the Corpus (Vol. IX, Carsioli and Aequiculi), we will add M. Anneus "Carseolanus," a rich Roman knight, spoken of by Valerius Maximus (VII, vii, 2), and Julia Modestina, who attained the wonderful age of a hundred and twenty years (Phlegon Trallianus,  $\Pi\epsilon\rho\lambda$  μακροβίων, cap. 3).

After the fall of the empire, in the eighth century, the monk Paulus Diaconus (Paul Warnefried) in his history of the Lombards (*Hist. Longob. rer.* II, 20) names Carsioli as a city of the thirteenth province Valeria. But it was probably then in an already advanced state of decline; for we learn of the existence at about the same time of the two modern towns, Arsoli and Carsoli, situated to the southwest and northeast respectively, whose names seem to indicate that they originated at the expense of the old town. Arsoli is referred to as "Castellum Arsularum" in S32 A.D. (*Bull. Rom. Pont. Coll.*, vol. 1, p. 172), and the ecclesia "Sancti Angeli in Carzolo [Carsoli] cum duabus Cellis suis" in S66 A.D. in a diploma of Louis II (*Chron. Cusinensa*, lib. I, 37).<sup>1</sup>

In 941 we hear of Carsioli again in an investiture by Hugo and Lothaire, kings of Italy, under the name of Sala (*Chron. Sublacense, R.I.S.* XXIV, col. 953).<sup>2</sup>

In 1057 we find its name, though incorrectly spelled, in a reference to the ecclesia "nostræ S. Dei Genetricis Virginis Mariæ in Carsebelo cum decimis & oblationibus," etc. (Ball. Rom. Pont. Coll. vol. I. p. 398). In that century also it passed from the possession of the Conti de Marsi into the hands of the abbots of Subiaco. But it must have still existed, if nothing more, up to the twelfth century, for in a conferma (1115 A.D.) of Pope Pascal II, which mentions a church of S. Maria in Carseolo (cf. Phoebonius, *loc. cit.* p. 112, above), it is spoken of as "Sala (a corruption of Cellae?) Civitas, quæ vocatur Carseolis" (Chron. Sublacense, R.I.S. XXIV, col. 951). Another name for it was Carsolů, which has been seen inscribed upon a stone near the door of the basilica of S. Scolastica at Subiaco.

A bull of Pope Honorius (1216–1226) (Bullar, Casin, vol. II, p. 247) shows that it still figured as a city or town in that age. "Sala Civitas," it says, "quæ vocatur Carseolus cum Massis . . . Auricula [Oricola] . . . Arsoli . . . in territorio Marsicano."

All this proves that Carsioli was not finally abandoned before the thirteenth century. Probably, as Gori suggests, the warlike times drove the inhabitants to higher sites, where they built many of the neighboring castles and towns.

But the tradition of the ancient city survives to this day; for the peasants, as already remarked, call the present ruins Civita Carenza: civita (for Latin *civitas*) being the usual name among them for such sites. The meaning of Carenza is not known.

<sup>1</sup> Revillas says (*op. cit.*) that the modern Carsoli was for a time in the Middle Ages called Castel Sancti Angeli ; then le Celle di Carsoli, because St. Romualdo, founder of the Camaldulensian order, built some cells there for his monks ; and that finally, by leave of Philip II, king of Spain, it took the name of Carsoli early in the seventeenth century.

<sup>2</sup> <sup>a</sup> Nota, quod hi duo Reges, scilicet Hugo, & Lotharius divina providente Clementia, multa bona obtulerunt Monasterio Sublacensi, Fratribusque ibidem pro tempore Deo famulantibus. Per hoc nostra auctoritatis praceptum. Curtem hactenus juris Regni nostri pertinentem, qua Sala dicitur, cum omni sua pertinentia, omnibusque rebus ibidem aspicientibus, conjacentibus in Territoriis, & finibus Sublaci, & Ciculi [cf. p. 136, above], & Reate, atque Savini, prout juste & legaliter possunus, donamus, penitusque concedimus, atque largimur, & de nostro jure & dominio ad usum Monachorum transferimus. Etiam confirmamus, & corroboranus, quæ ibidem collata sunt ab Imperatoribus, sive Regibus Pradecessoribus nostris, ut habetur in Privilegiis eorum." <sup>(n)</sup> Nigno piissimorum Principum Hugonis, & Lotharii Regum."

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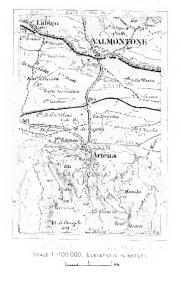
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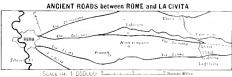
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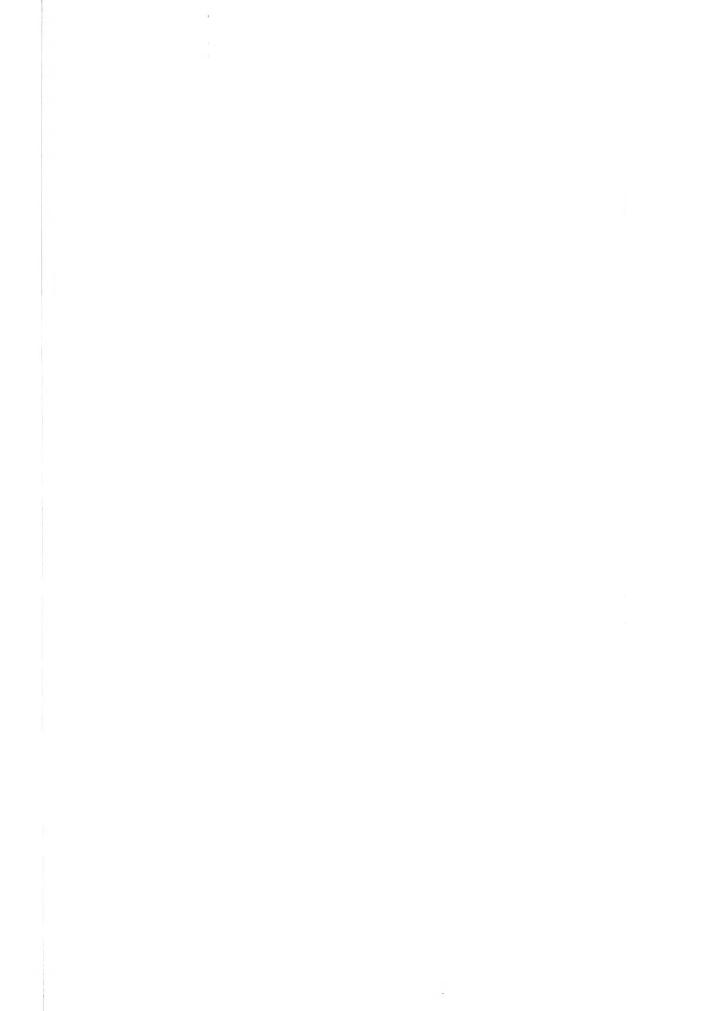
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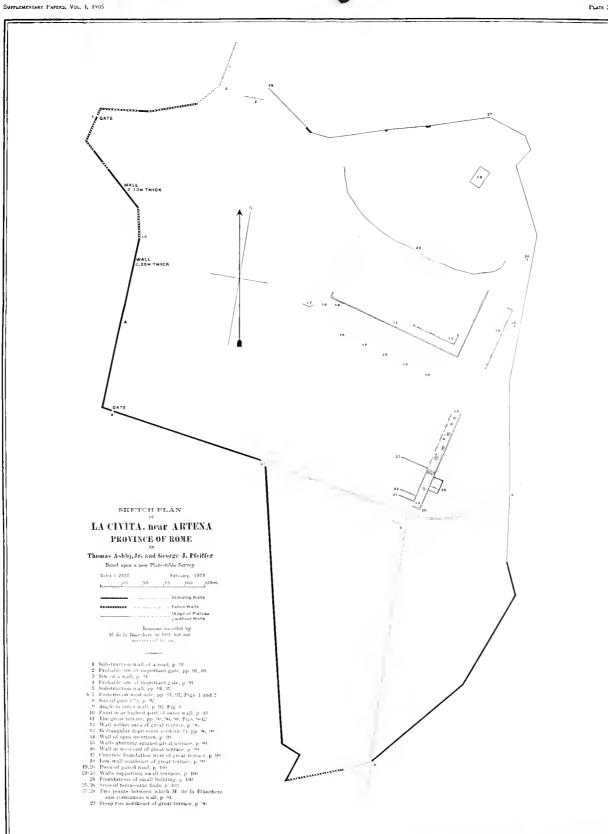
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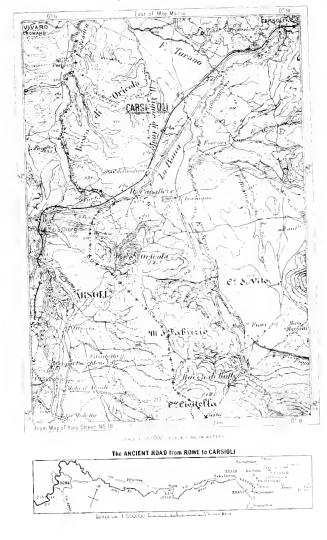
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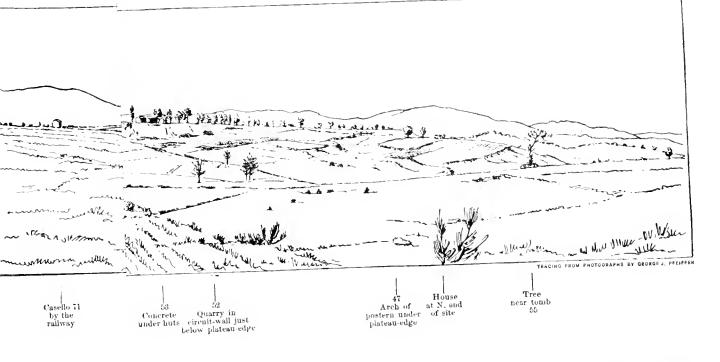
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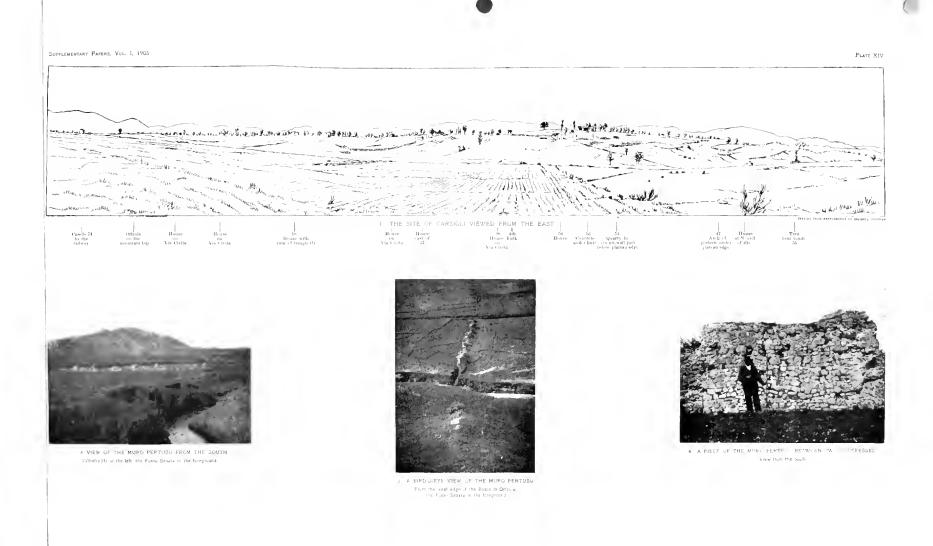




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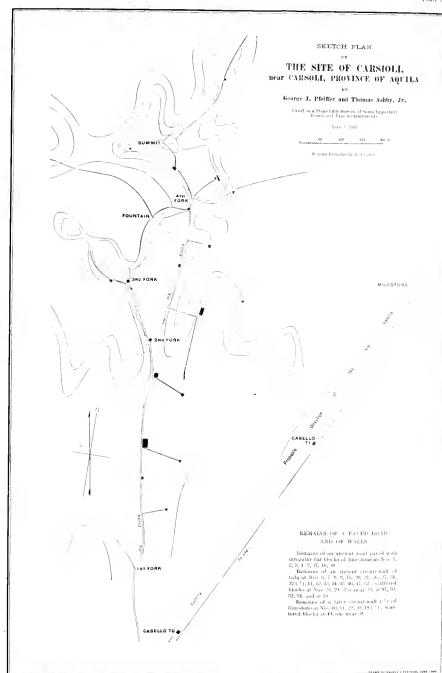
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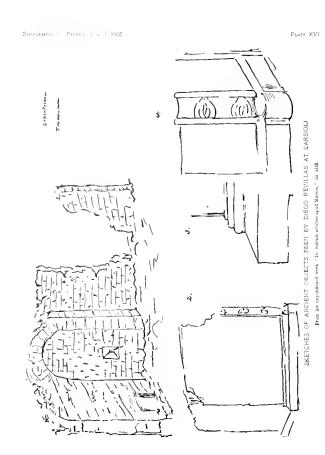
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## DIE APHRODITE VON ARLES

In der *Revue archéologique*, 1902,<sup>1</sup> habe ich zu zeigen versucht, dass die im Louvre befindliche Replik<sup>2</sup> der berühmten Venus-Statue von Arles identisch ist mit jener Figur, die Pierre Jacques in seinem Skizzenbuch als in der Sammlung Cesi befindlich auf Tafel 9 gezeichnet hat und zwar mit einem nicht zugehörigen Kopf, ferner dass dieser Kopf jetzt auf der Gewandtigur Clarac-Reinach, 167. 4, aufsitzt und dass der jetzige auf der Replik befindliche Kopf gleichfalls nicht zugehörig ist. Trotz der Einsprache Michons<sup>3</sup> muss ich auch heute noch an dieser Anschauung festhalten. Die Statue von Arles wurde, wie bekannt, im Jahre 1683 von der Munizipalverwaltung von Arles König Ludwig XIV geschenkt, nachdem sie bereits 1651 gefunden worden war. Im Jahre 1684 wurde sie nach vorher eingeholter Zustimmung des Königes von dem Bildhauer Girardon ergänzt. Dabei gab dieser der Göttin einen Apfel in die rechte Hand und einen Spiegelgriff in die Linke. Diese Ergänzung ist offenbar unrichtig. Vor allem war der linke Arm anders bewegt, wie dies nicht nur der künstlerische Aufbau des Werkes verlangt, sondern wie es auch durch die zweite, daneben stehende Wiederholung wahrscheinlich wird. Ferner ist die Zusammenfügung der zwei Attribute, die in gar keinem inneren Zusammenhang stehen, gewiss nicht korrekt. Die noch von Clarac, pl. 340, 130 F. (Clarac-Reinach, 173, 6) angenommene Ergänzung macht aus dieser Statue eine Venus Victrix. Doch hat bereits Fröhner in seinem Louvre-Catalog<sup>4</sup> diese Annahme als schlecht begründet zurückgewiesen. Die von ihm, wie ich glaube zuerst, ausgesprochene Annalume geht dahin, dass die Linke einen Spiegel hielt, während die Rechte sich dem Kopf näherte, um an der Frisur etwas zu richten. Dieser Ansicht schliesst sich auch Furtwängler<sup>5</sup> an, indem er gleichzeitig die Entblössung mit dem Umstande motiviert, dass die Göttin mit ihrer Toilette beschäftigt sei.

Gegen diese Erklärung der Aktion der Göttin scheinen mir nun gewichtige Gründe vorzuliegen. Vor allem ist die Haartracht an dieser Statue vollständig in Ordnung und ist an derselben nichts zu ordnen. In sorgfältig gelegten, parallelen Streifen ziehen die einzelnen Strähne wellig zum Hinterkopf, von einem dreifachen Bande umschlungen. Die Aktion wäre daher als solche unmotiviert, und dadurch unklar. Denn die Hand könnte sich höchstens dem Haare genähert haben, keinesfalls hat sie dasselbe berührt.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Troisième série, tome XL, p. 301, Taf. XII.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Fröhner, 138; Clarac-Reinach, 173; Klein, Proxiteles, p. 293.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Revue archéologique, 1903, tome XLL

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Fröhner, No. 137. <sup>5</sup> Furtwangler, *Masterpicces*, p. 319.

da sich sonst Ansatz-Spuren der Finger erhalten hätten. Von solehen ist aber absolut nichts vorhanden. Auch die Deutung der Gestalt auf die Aphrodite von Thespiae des Praxiteles<sup>1</sup> scheint mir nach der ganz summarischen, blossen Nennung ohne nähere Beschreibung nichts zu stützen, sondern vielmehr eine reine Vermuthung. Furtwäng-



FIGURE 1, - DIE APHRODITE VON ARLES

ler, der diese Hypothese aufstellt, die auch Colliguon<sup>2</sup> annimmt, supponiert die gleiche Aktion für die schöne Statue aus Ostia im British Museum<sup>3</sup> in London, die er für ein Phryne-Bild des Praxiteles hält. Bei diesem letzteren Werke halte ich die angenommene Tätigkeit für völlig ausgeschlossen und zwar wegen des Umstandes, dass der Kopf von dem vermeintlichen Spiegel direkt weggewendet ist, dieser daher sinnlos erscheinen muss.

Und auch bei der Aphrodite von Arles scheint mir die gesamte Konzeption sowie die Haltung der Arme gebieterisch eine andere Deutung zu verlangen — nämlich die des Spinnens. Die rechte Hand hätten wir uns dann zu denken als den Spinnrocken haltend, während die Linke den Faden zog, an dem unten die Spindel herabhing. Frei und ungezwungen erklärt sich hiedurch die Aktion der Arme, ebenso wie die Neigung des Kopfes. Doch auch in künstlerischer Beziehung verdient diese Deutung, wie ich meine, den Vorzug. Wir erhalten hiedurch einen vollständig geschlossenen Linienzug. Der reale Faden bildet nun die Verbindung beider Arme und zugleich die Gerade, durch welche die Schwin-

gung in der Führung des oberen Gewandrandes einen Maasstab erhält. Es ist vielleicht nicht uninteressant zu bemerken, dass der künstlerische Reiz dieser Linienführung seinen Einfluss auch auf moderne Meister ausgeübt hat, wir finden den Zug dieser Curve fast identisch wiederkehren in dem Bilde von Paul Thumann : "die drei Parzen."<sup>4</sup> Ja die mittlere Gestalt kann unbedenklich beinahe als Restaurationsskizze verwendet werden.

<sup>2</sup> Collignon, Histoire de la sculpture grecque, p. 270.

<sup>8</sup> Furtwängler. *l.l.* p. 320; Clarac-Reinach, 319.
<sup>4</sup> Gravure Hanfstängel, 4939.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Furtwängler, *l.l.* p. 319.

Es erscheint von vorneherein sicher, dass die Frauenstatue von Arles eine Aphrodite darstellt und zwar sowohl durch die Entblössung des Oberkörpers, wie durch die fast geschwisterliche Ähnlichkeit mit der Aphrodite von Knidos. Und da erheben sich denn auch scheinbar zwei gewichtige Einwände gegen die vorgeschlagene Rekonstruktion. Es fragt sich ob die Tatsache einer spinnenden Aphrodite überhaupt zu rechtfertigen ist und ferner wie die halbe Entblössung des Körpers erklärt werden soll bei einer Spinnerin.

Nun lesen wir aber bei Pausanias:<sup>1</sup> ταύτης γὰρ σχῆμα μὲν τετράγωνον κατὰ ταὐτὰ καὶ τοῖς Ἐρμαῖς, τὸ δὲ ἐπίγραμμα σημαίνει τὴν Οὐρανίαν Ἀφροδίτην τῶν καλουμένων Μοιρῶν εἶναι πρεσβυτάτην. Ähnliches sagt auch das Epimenides-Fragment:<sup>2</sup>

> έκ τοῦ καλλίκομος γένετο χρυσέη Ἀφροδίτη Μοῖραι τ' ἀθάνατοι καὶ Ἐρίνυες αἰολόδωροι.

So sehen wir denn an dieser letzteren Stelle Aphrodite als Schwester der Moiren erscheinen, während sie bei Pausanias direkt als älteste der Moiren genannt wird. Und diese Auffassung Aphrodites ist ja aus der ganzen Natur ihres Wesens leicht begreiffich. Sie ist nicht nur "die Göttin der Gärten, Blumen und Lusthaine, die reizende Göttin des Frühlings und der Frühlingslust, die Göttin des sinnlichen Reizes und der Liebe," sondern speziell als Urania auch die Göttin der reinen und chelichen Liebe und eine Göttin des Kindersegens. So ist sie mit dem Geschick des Menschen vom Momente seines ersten Eintrittes ins Leben an eng verknüpft und aus diesem Gedanken heraus entwickelt sich bereits sehr früh die Vorstellung von ihr als älteste der Moiren. Und so hätten wir denn in der spinnenden Aphrodite eben eine Verkörperung dieser Idee zu sehen — und die älteste der Moiren — hier Aphrodite — heisst ja sonst Klotho "die Spinnerin." Kann es uns Wunder nehmen, dass Praxiteles, der wie kein zweiter vor ihm das Wesen der "goldenen Göttin" erfasst hatte, auch diese neue, tiefere Seite im Wesen Aphroditens darstellte? Er, der in der Knidierin die ewig bewunderte höchste Vollendung der Schönheit geschaffen, er lich der Göttin auch Dasein als ernste Schicksalswalterin.

Nun aber berichtet Plinius,<sup>3</sup> dass Praxiteles nebst anderen Gestalten auch gemacht habe eine "catagusa." Vielfache Deutungen dieses Wortes sind versucht worden, den meisten Beifall fand und ziemlich allgemein angenommen wurde die Erklärung von Urlichs,<sup>4</sup> der in der "catagusa" eine Spinnerin sicht, indem er das Wort ableitet von " $\kappa a \tau a' \gamma \epsilon \nu$ " den Faden herabziehen. Ist diese Deutung richtig, dann ist es aber das Nächstliegende, die literarisch überlieferte "Spinnerin" des Praxiteles mit der statuarisch erhaltenen desselben Meisters zu identificieren, mit anderen Worten, daum könnten wir im Original der Aphrodite von Arles die "Catagusa" des Praxiteles sehen und diese "Catagusa" wäre dann nicht eine blosse Genre-Figur, wie dies von vorneherein unwahrscheinlich ist, sondern die von dem Meister am meisten bevorzugte Göttin Aphrodite, dargestellt in ihrer Function als Moire, als Spinnerin.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> I. 19. 2 (Overbeck, Schriftquellen, 813).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cf. hiezu und zum folgenden. Preller-Robert, Gr. Mythologie, p. 358 ff.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> N.H. XXXIV, 69 (Overbeck, Schriftquellen, 1199).

<sup>4</sup> Urlichs in der Woch. f. klass. Phil. 1894, pp. 227 ff.

Hiebei sei nur vermutungsweise erwähnt, dass uns vielleicht literarisch noch eine zweite Moire desselben Meisters überliefert ist, in der von Plinius erwähnten "Opora"<sup>1</sup> die wir uns dann als Moire mit dem Füllhorn vorzustellen hätten, etwa in der Art wie sie auf Sarkophagen erscheint.

Wenn wir nun in der spinnenden Gestalt eine Aphrodite und mit Recht sehen dürfen, dann verliert die Tatsache, dass die Göttin nur halb bekleidet ist viel von ihrem befremdlichen Charakter. Bietet doch selbst für unser modernes Sehen eine nur halb oder gar nicht bekleidete Venus-Statue, selbst ohne tiefere Motivierung dieses Umstandes, nur eine ganz natürliche Erscheinung — um wie viel mehr ist dies für die Antike der Fall. Was bei einer anderen Göttin eine spezielle Begründung erfordern würde, ist hier durch das Wesen der dargestellten Gottheit von selbst gegeben. Im Übrigen mangelt es nicht an Parallelen für diese Erscheinung.<sup>2</sup> Begründet kann sie damit werden, dass die Göttin eben in ihrer Tätigkeit das Gewand halb abgelegt habe, um durch dasselbe nicht behindert zu sein.

Ebenso wenig vermag der Umstand einen Gegengrund zu bilden, dass die "Catagusa" von Plinius unter den Bronzewerken genannt wird. Die Aphrodite von Arles lässt keinerlei bindenden Schluss zu auf das Material, in welchem das Original hergestellt war, und in dem Athener Torso<sup>3</sup> das Original zu sehen ist bloss Annahme. Hingegen scheinen technische Details eher für die Bronze als das ursprüngliche Material zu sprechen, wie z. B. das Band, das im Nacken sich verschiebt. Ein derartiges Abstehen widerspricht der Gebrechlichkeit des Marmors und ist nur der Bronze augemessen.

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Rom, November, 1903.

<sup>1</sup> Plin. N.H. XXXIV, 70 (Overbeck, Schriftquellen, 1279).

<sup>2</sup> Z.B., der Prometheussarkophag, Helbig, Führer durch die Offentlichen Sammlungen Klassischer Alterthümer in Rom, 1<sup>2</sup>, 457; Müller-Wieseler, Denkmäler der Antiken Kunst, 11, 838.

<sup>3</sup> Reinach, Répertuire, 369, 1; Brunn-Bruckmann, Denkmäler griechischer u. römischer Sculptur, Taf, 300 a.



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#### A NEW VARIANT OF THE "SAPPHO" TYPE

# [Plate XVII]

THERE are several types of heads known under the name of "Sappho." Some of these may really be more or less accurate portraits of this most famous of Greek lyric poets. However, there can be no question of a portrait in one of the types, — that with the hair bound three times with a fillet, which Furtwängler, in his *Masterpieces* of *Greek Sculpture*.<sup>1</sup> assigns to a Pheidian origin. The face shows too plainly the idealization common in early Greek sculpture to allow us to consider it a portrait, while the narrow, almond eyes, the arrangement of the coiffure, and the general expression of the face are perfectly suited to the type of "Aphrodite."

This type, whether or not it represents Aphrodite, must have been very popular in antiquity, for no less than twenty-two copies of it are already known.<sup>2</sup> The latest addition to the list recently came to light in Rome, and is of interest as showing some clear variations from other replicas. It is now in the Art Museum at Worcester, Massachusetts (PLATE XVII).

This new head, which seems to be of Parian marble, is made in two pieces, the back being wrought of a separate block and attached by an iron clamp.<sup>3</sup> The end of the nose, large masses of the hair, and one of the pendant side-locks are gone, while the entire surface has suffered from chipping and incrustation. Nevertheless, all the accidents of time, weather, and the excavator's pickaxe have not been able to obliterate the dignity and charm of this lovely head : for, like all truly beautiful works of art, whatever is left of it, however fragmentary, is still beautiful.

In its proportions, the head shows the same somewhat excessive length as others of the type, due to the great knot of hair at the back. The face is a long and delicate oval. The neck is full and round. The head is slightly above life-size.

The hair, which is bound three times by a fillet, is treated in a somewhat schematic, but very rich and plastic manner, in accordance with the habit of the fifth-century

<sup>1</sup> Furtwängler, Masterpieces of Greek Sculpture, pp. 66-69. Cf. Reinach. Recenil de Têtes Antiques, pp. 69 f.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Eighteen copies enumerated by Furtwängler; one added by Helbig,  $F\ddot{u}hrer$  (English ed.), p. 148; one in private possession in London; one in an antiquary's shop in Rhodes on the island of Rhodes; and the head under discussion.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The exact reason of this is hard to find. The back might have been an ancient restoration, but the fact that it is of the same marble, and both parts are of the same excellent workmanship, make this very doubtful.

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Greek sculptors. In one important respect the hair of this copy differs from that of all the others, in that it escapes from under the front fold of the fillet in the *centre* of the forehead instead of over the centre of each eye, as in all the other examples. It runs in a gently waving line back to the rich, thick bunches of curls that erop out in front of each ear, and gives a distinctly pointed shape to the forehead. As this occurs in no other replica, it may have been an addition of the copyist who, wishing to add something of the Praxitelean charm to the rather severe beauty of the original, took this method of pointing the forchead to accomplish his end. He has certainly succeeded, for the face of this bust is far gentler and sweeter than those of the other repetitions with the square forchead.

In another point this new head differs from all the others save one. This difference is in the thick tress of hair which escapes from under the folds of the fillet behind each ear and, hanging free from the neck, rests on the shoulder. This feature is found in but one other replica, the double herm in Madrid, with a head of the "Sappho" on one side and of a youth on the other. The locks (or rather the lock, for only the left one remains) on the new bust is much more satisfactorily treated. It stands free from the ear, is rich and full, and has nothing of the stringy quality seen in the Madrid herm. These locks may be (like the forehead) due to the copyists, or perhaps, though only occurring in two copies, they may show a characteristic of the original head, for such tresses are common enough on statues of the fifth century. But also on herms they were common in later times as a traditional survival of the archaic type of herms with long hanging locks. However, our head is not a herm ! Hence, probably, this feature in the Madrid head is due to the influence of the herm, while in our head it is due to a desire to soften the type.

The generous knot of hair on the back of the head is partly bound underneath by the fillet, but is not held in a  $\sigma \dot{\alpha}\kappa\kappa\sigma$ , as in many copies.<sup>1</sup> The treatment of the curly ends of the hair is particularly fine. The ends of the fillet are tied in a knot on the nape of the neck and hang loosely down.

The eyes, which are long and narrow, are not deeply set. The lids are chiselled but lightly, especially the lower, which is scarcely differentiated from the eyeball. It is remarkable that the upper lid does not overlap the under in the outer corner of the eye. The slight modelling gives a rather indefinite, soft, swimming expression to the eyes, such as is often seen in later types of Aphrodite. The brows are but slightly arched, and the distance between them and the upper eyelid is short. The nose is long and nearly straight, and is rather flat along the ridge. The mouth is large; the lips are slightly parted, the upper only gently curved, the lower full and sharply receding underneath. The chin is narrow and rounded. The ears, which are placed fairly high, are the most poorly executed part of the head, and are largely hidden by the hair.

How near this last addition to the list of replicas comes to the original, it is, of course, impossible to say. The fact that this copy alone has the pointed forehead would seem to show that in this particular it departs from the model. The same is

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Compare head in Villa Borghese, Room IV, No. 85.

true as regards the pendant side tresses; for, since there is only one other replica which has this feature (and that one is a herm), it would seem that here again we have a divergence from the original, although there is no positive proof that both features were not to be found in the original.

The presence of distinct traits of the Pheidian age in all the copies helps to date the origin of this type, but who the master was is still unknown. Furtwängler, in his *Masterpieces*, confidently asserts that in these copies he has recovered the lost "Aphrodite" by Pheidias himself.<sup>1</sup> He points out that the forehead is high and free, and that the curls escape freely only above the ears, in the manner of the "Athena Parthenos"; that the rich plastic waving of the hair on the top of the head is genuinely Pheidian; and that the ears are shaped like those of the "Lemmian Athena," But in our copy, at least, the forehead and curls are not like the "Athena Parthenos," nor are the ears in this and most of the other copies of the large-lobed, shell-like sort most characteristic of Pheidias. But even granting these points, are such general resemblances sufficient to warrant our assigning this type to the master himself? Are they not quite as much the characteristics of the age of Greek sculpture in which Pheidias fourished as those of the foremost master of that age? The mere fact that a work of sculpture has undoubted marks of a particular epoch is not sufficient reason for assigning it to the most famous sculptor of the epoch. It is much more satisfactory to assign a given type to a particular master : but, in this case, at least, it seems quite impossible to do so with any fairness or confidence.

The workmanship of the bust under consideration is in most respects remarkably good, so that it seems probable it is Greek rather than Roman. Then, too, there is nothing of the dry, mechanical quality, or of the high polish frequently seen on Roman copies, while the delicate modelling of the face, the peculiar rendering of the eyes, and the free yet orderly treatment of the hair, show that the sculptor was not only master of his materials, but could understand and copy ably the famous works of an earlier age.

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<sup>1</sup> Masterpieces, pp. 66, 67.

#### NOTE

It appears that there is a difference of opinion among competent judges with regard to the antiquity of the marble here discussed by Mr. Cross, some authorities maintaining that the head is a modern forgery, others that it is a work of the best epoch of Greek sculpture. The Committee thinks it advisable, nevertheless, to publish the article with this statement, thus opening the discussion of the authenticity of the marble to a much wider public than is usual in similar cases. — J. H. W.

### THE CHRISTIAN SARCOPHAGUS IN S. MARIA ANTIQUA

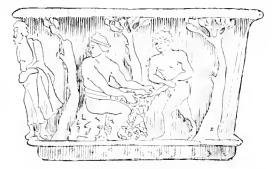
THIS sarcophagus was discovered in April. 1901, during the excavations in S. Maria Antiqua, in the Roman Forum. Marucchi first published it in the *Notizie degli Scavi* and afterwards in a special article with phototype in the third fascicle of the *Nuovo Bullettino di Archeologia cristiana*, 1901, pp. 206–216. His suggestions regarding the provenience of the monument are very interesting and ingenious, but his description of it is incomplete and his interpretation of the scenes seems to me extravagant (Fig. 1).



FIGURE 1. - SARCOPHAGUS IN S. MARIA ANTIQUA (FACE)

The sarcophagus used to be in the corridor leading to the ascent to the Palatine, on the left of the church, and was so placed that one could photograph only the front. Its dimensions are those of a single sarcophagus, 2.17 m. in length, 0.675 m. in breadth, 0.66 m. in height. The back is plain, the front and rounded ends decorated. The scenes, beginning at the right (Fig. 2), are as follows: Two fishermen, naked, save for the *perizoma*, one at the right, standing, facing left, another at the left, sitting, facing left, hold a net between them, through the meshes of which may be seen the heads of fish. Next is the baptism of Christ: the Baptist at right, facing left, clad in pallium only, stands on a rock, resting his right hand on the head of the Christ; the Saviour, represented as a boy, stands naked in a pool or stream, facing left : above his head appears the descending dove. The Good Shepherd comes next, erect, facing left, dressed in the *exomis*, or sleeveless tunic, and carrying a ram on his shoulders, while at his feet and behind him to right and left stand two more, looking back and up at him. The legs of the Good Shepherd are not well finished, but the artist seems to have intended to represent shoes on the feet, with greaves or plaited stockings around the calves. The centre of the sareophagus is occupied by two figures whose faces were merely blocked out and never tinished : on the right a male "philosopher" figure, in

pallium only, seated on a draped sella and reading a scroll: to the left, an *orans*, or praying figure, standing, dressed in sleeveless tunic and palla. Between them, at the feet of the orans, is a dove, partly enveloped by her palla, its tail concealed by her tunic. It looks backward and upward at the orans. The rest of the decorated space to the left is occupied by the story of Jonah. At the extreme left (Fig. 3), upon a rock or promontory, sits a sea divinity, with drapery thrown across his left arm, loins, and right leg. In his left hand he holds erect a tri-



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FIGURE 2. — SARCOPHAGUS IN S. MARIA ANTIQUA (RIGHT END)

dent. From the eminence on which he sits flow the waters of the sea, on which tosses a ship, to the right, sailing left. The sail is furled, denoting the storm. In the bow we see what seems to be a standard. The hull is decorated with spirals. In the stern to the right stands a sailor working one of the rudders: in the bow another sailor of smaller size raises his arms and gazes back at the monster. The monster appears to the right, coiling along the surface of the water and looking toward Jonah, who is sleeping, naked, under the gourd to the right. The gourd takes the form of an arbor. On the top of this arbor, which slants downward from right to left, are three rams, two to the right, reclining, looking right, one to the left, standing, looking left. The landscape background is indicated throughout by trees, but very feebly, save where the trees stand

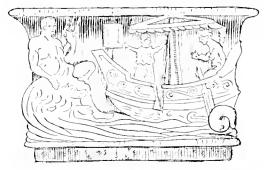


Figure 3. — Sarcophagus in S. Maria Antiqua (Left End)

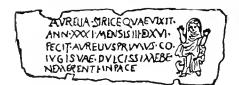
out to divide the scenes. We have here, perhaps, the earliest example of regular division of scenes, which was later effected by more conventionalized trees and then by columns and pilasters. Marucchi assigns the sarcophagus to the first half of the fourth century, from a comparison with other monuments and the reminiscences of classic style in the figures. The scenes are lively, the composition less oppressively symmetrical than in the generality, the figures better.

The decoration consists of a mixture of pagan and Christian motives. The fisher-

men seem to belong to the former, being selected along with the baptism to balance the marine scene on the other end of the sareophagus. Thus a fishing scene is used to balance the story of Jonah on a Lateran sarcophagus (G.<sup>1</sup> 307, 1) and another forms a

I Garrucei, Storia dell' Arte cristiana.

pendant to a *putto* in a boat on the ends of a sarcophagus in Ravenna (G. 371, 3 and 4). The baptism is probably the earliest to occur on sarcophagi. The others may be seen in Strzygowski, Ikonographie der Taufe Christi, pl. i. except the one on a Lateran sarcophagus (Bull. di Arch. crist. 1882, pp. 90-91, pl. ix), reproduced in Marucchi's article in the Nuovo Bullettino, and a fragment from the basilica of SS. Nereus and Achilles (published by Grousset, Les Sarcophages Chrétiens, no. 162). It does not differ from the others. Christ is always a boy, and the Baptist sometimes wears the pallium. In the catacomb frescoes he is always dressed in exomis or perizoma (Wilpert, Die Malereien der Sakramentkapellen, p. 19, note 3). Passing over the Good Shepherd, which presents nothing new, we come to the central figures, a sitting male figure, in philosopher's pallium, reading a scroll, and a female orans. This group is a Christian adaptation of the "philosophical conversation," which was fairly frequent in pagan sarcophagi, paintings, and reliefs. An example of the pagan model may be seen on the sarcophagus figured in Garrucci, 371, 5, and a number of Christian imitations are collected in Garrucci's plates 370, 371. On our sarcophagus the two figures were intended for portraits, the heads being merely blocked out. The same unfinished head is observed in the case of the orans which occurs on seven sarcophagi in the Lateran, and an orans bust on a sarcophagus in the Kircherian Museum. On five of the Lateran sarcophagi (Nos. 122, 148, 154, 160, 161: G. 374, 2; 380, 4; 316, 4; 376, 2; 382, 2-4) the orans is the only figure left unfinished, as in the case of the central figures here. The orans type on our sarcophagus is one often carved on epitaphs to represent the defunct in pace, the phrase being pictorially translated by the dove at the orans' feet. The type is a convenient one for the sculptor. Figures of orantes with doves on the epitaphs might be cited in abundance, but particularly striking is the figure, exactly like ours, save that the dove is on the left of the woman, which may be seen on the epitaph of Aurelia Sirice in the Lateran (Fig. 4; G. 484, 12). This dove has the same meaning as the more common one carrying the olive branch in its bill, which is labelled PAX in another Lateran inscription (G. 486, 9). It is in some cases interpreted to mean the Christian or the Christian's soul, but no distinction between the types was observed by the Christian stone-cutters, who used each of them in both senses. Thus in G. 484, 1, the in pace dove



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FIGURE 4. — EPITAPH OF AURELIA SIRICE, LATLRAN, ROME (Garricei, 484, 12)

which brings celestial comfort to Jonah has no olive branch, and in G. 486, 16, two doves of the individual kind, labelled with the names of two women, *Benera* and *Sabbatia*, carry the olive branch nevertheless. Our artist has borrowed the same type to represent his dead Christian and copied it so closely that we certainly have here a survival of catacomb tradition. The dove soon drops out on the sarcophagi. Another praying figure accompanied by it appears as the left ter-

minal figure on a Pisan sarcophagus, of which I shall speak later. There is some doubt about the dove, however, and the sarcophagus is apparently earlier than ours.

The lively Jonah scene presents several points of interest. A very close parallel to it, even to the spirals on the ship's hull, is that on a sareophagus-cover in the Palazzo Rondanini, Rome (Fig. 5: G. 397, 12, described by Grousset, Les Sarcophages Chrétiens, under no. 154). The furled sail and standard are common to both compositions. The furled sail is new, being regularly full on sarcophagi. On the other hand, the sail is



FIGURE 5. — SARCOPHAGUS-COVER IN PALAZZO RONDANINI, Rome

(Garrucci, 397, 12)

furled in the catacombs. The survival of eatacomb types in this case, as in the case of the orans, agrees with the early date of the sarcophagus (cf. Mitius, Jonas auf den Denkmälern der altehr, Kanst. p. 54). Besides the sea divinity at the end of the decoration, which may be compared, as a terminal figure, with a pastoral god figured in Garrucci, 370, 2, there is another pagan survival in the scene which is very amusing.

Marucchi says that the sheep on the top of Jonah's arbor are those of the Good Shepherd. If they belong to him, they have surely wandered far and are not to be counted among the ninety-and-nine. It is easier to believe them the sheep of another shepherd, viz. the beautiful youth of Latmos, Endymion. It is well known that the Endymion type was used by Christian artisans in carving the sleeping Jonah. A Christian medal published by De Rossi (*Bull. di Areh. crist.* 1869, p. 42) reproduees Endymion bodily in the figure of a young shepherd. It may have been through the sleeping shepherds that the type came to the aid of artisans who had to make sleeping Jonahs. Grousset (*Les Sarcophages Chrétiens*, no. 61) cites a cover fragment in house No. 17 in the Vicolo del Carmine, Rome (whose Christian origin, however, cannot be proved), which

has a young shepherd dressed in exomis, sleeping, with right arm thrown back above his head, quite in the manner of our Jonah. (Compare the reclining shepherd in G. 394, 6.) But a direct imitation has plenty of evidence for it, as one may see by comparing Jonah and the sheep with the Endymion in Robert (Die Antiken Sarkophagreliefs, III, pl. xviii, Louvre; detail in Fig. 6), where the sheep are similarly reclining on a ledge above the shepherd; a closer resemblance to the attitude of Jonah's sheep is seen in that of Endymion's sheep in pls. xvii, 65; xv, 58; xiv, 49, 50, 51. Our artist followed his model only too faithfully, and if we imagine a Diana stepping from her chariot in the room of the sea monster, the old scene stands before us, with only the gourd vine to One cannot resist the impression that obseure it. our artist was a pagan or a very dubious Christian and



FIGURE 6. — SLEEPING ENDYMION ON A SARCOPHAGES IN THE LOUVRE (Robert, III, pl. xviii)

only imperfectly understood the seene he had to carve here. Jonah was an Endymion to him, and an Endymion must have sheep, the gourd vine notwithstanding.

Marucchi's interpretation of the scenes on the sarcophagus is suggested by the fishermen and baptism, which two scenes he groups together. He compares them to

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the well-known fresco in the Saerament Chapels in S. Callisto, where similar scenes are united (G, 7, 2). This fresco shows Christ as a naked boy, standing in the water, with the Baptist standing on the bank beside him. Above Christ's head descends the dove. On the opposite bank sits a fisherman, who draws a fish from the same water. Christ's baptism is here interpreted to be a symbol of the rite in general, and the fisherman is the apostolic "fisher of men." who draws the convert from the baptismal waters. Marucchi sees an intention to convey such a meaning in the juxtaposition of the fishermen and the baptism on our sarcophagus. A more natural reason for grouping these two water scenes at this end of the sarcophagus is to form a pendant to the Jonah story at the other end, as was pointed out before. Moreover, the two scenes are not united here, as in the fresco, but divided off by a tree. To prove the connection between them, it must be shown at least that the inspiration of the decoration as a whole is allegorical.

This Marucchi tries to do. He reads in the scenes from right to left an allegorical exposition of the spiritual life of the defunct, the key to which lies in the three figures to the left of the baptism, the Good Shepherd, reading figure, and orans. He compares this series of figures with those on a sarcophagus coming from the Via Salaria, now in the Lateran, ascribed by De Rossi to the second century (Bull. di Arch. erist. 1891, p. 55 ff.). Here we see the deceased husband and wife, with attendants, seated facing one another. The husband is dressed in a philosopher's pallium and reads a seroll. Between them, forming the central group, stand the Good Shepherd and an orans. De Rossi interprets the orans and Good Shepherd as symbols of the ehurch in heaven and of its head, who comfort the departed pair with the joys of paradise. (A similar conception may have inspired the scene on a Gallie sarcophagus, G. 370, 2.) Marucchi thinks the same notion is to be read in the three figures on our sareophagus: the orans signifying the church in heaven, by an expansion of its original meaning: the sitting figure, the defunct reading the Scriptures; and the Good Shepherd, the spouse of the church, Christ. The coniugium or  $\sigma v \zeta v \gamma la$  between Christ and His church is a very old patristic concept.

There is a difficulty in the way of this explanation in the shape of the unfinished face of the orans, which Marucchi seems to me to avoid rather than to remove. He admits that the natural reason for the unfinished state of the two heads is that they were to be completed as portraits of the occupants of the sarcophagus. But the sarcophagus is only large enough for one. "Hence," to translate his own words, "this peculiarity of the unfinished face may be well explained by the common habit of leaving unfinished in the course of the work the two central figures, which then often remained unfinished even after the purchase of the monument, by reason of carelessness or for the sake of economy." He concludes then that the orans was to be finished merely as an "ideal type." The sitting figure was to represent the defunct Christian, but we are not allowed the natural conclusion that his features were to be reproduced, which would be tantamount to a confession that his head was left unfinished to be completed as a portrait. which is a very good reason, while that of the orans was left blocked out to be completed as an "ideal type," or for no reason at all.

To continue with Marucchi's allegory. The orans, according to the usual interpretation, taken in relation with the sitting figure of the defunct, would represent the soul in paradise. But the Good Shepherd on the other side of the sitting figure shows that a more lofty concept was in the mind of the artist. The three figures are to be taken together, and Marucchi sees in the group the church of the saints and its Head, the Good Shepherd, communion with whom is the reward of the deceased. Such reward he has merited by obedience to the divine law contained in Holy Scripture, typified by the seroll. This is the nucleus of the allegory. It is begun on the right by the fishing scene and baptism, continued on the left by the story of Jonah, the symbol of resurrection and eternal life. The dead believer entered into the church, converted by the words of the "fisher of men" and his successors, and purified by the waters of baptism. "After death," says Marucchi, "the defunct was to arise again to new life, and the Jonah scene alludes to the resurrection. For his virtues he has been received by the Heavenly Pastor, together with the elect: and this last part is symbolized by the central group of the orans united with the Good Shepherd." Even the sea god has to bear his part, "for," says Marucchi, "he holds in his hand a trident and raises it aloft like an emblem. Now we learn from many examples that the trident was a form of disguised cross, and that it was used in ancient Christian art at a time when it was not vet customary to represent openly the real form of the cross. Around a trident is twined the dolphin, or *piscis subcutor*, in a freeco of the elemetery of Callisto; and the trident between fish, with the same significance of cross, is seen carved on some marbles of the cemetery of Domitilla. It will not, then, seem improper to believe that the seulptor of our sarcophagus, who had a special predilection for the symbolical in all his figures, wished to express a concept in this last one also, that is, that upon the stormy sea of life and superior to death, indicated by the waters which engulfed Jonah, shines, as the sign of immortal hope, the cross of Christ."

This interpretation rests upon the three figures before mentioned, — orans, reading figure, and Good Shepherd. The significance attached to them by Marucchi is beset with difficulties, even if we waive the unfinished faces. In the first place, the three figures do not form a group, as the Good Shepherd is shut off from the other two by the usual tree. Second, the central group is not composed of all three, but of orans and reading figure alone. Lastly, the dove at the orans' feet, which seems to have escaped Marucchi, makes this interpretation quite impossible. For we have seen how closely our artist copied the epitaph type of orans and dove, and he must have meant to use it as it was used in the catacombs, to represent the defunct *in pace*. It is useless to try to expand a figure whose meaning is already stereotyped and given an individual application by the dove into an ideal "church." Lastly, the unfinished face remains as an insuperable objection to interpreting this orans as a figure of the church in heaven or the soul of the sitting figure, or anything else than an individual.

This circumstance is attributed by Marucchi to the "common habit of leaving unfinished in the course of the work the two central figures, which then often remained unfinished even after the purchase of the monument by reason of carelessness or for the sake of economy." The "habit" to which he alludes was hardly "common" save when portraits had to be done, as in the case of the figure in the centre of the sarcophagus or the bust or busts in the *imago clypeata*. If saving of labor were the only reason, there would be a more general lack of finish around the centre. But when the busts in the *image elypeata* are left blocked out, the rest of the decoration is usually complete. On the five Lateran sareophagi which I have mentioned, the orans which stands for the defunct in the centre of the sareophagus is left undone in distinction to all the other figures. And on our sareophagus the smallest detail has been looked to, up to the faces of the central figures. This exception of the faces from all the rest must have been premeditated, the figures occupy the position accorded to portraits, and there is every reason to suppose that they were meant for portraits.

But the sareophagus is a single one. Perhaps, then, the unfinished faces are a device of the prudent sareophagus dealer, who thus prepared himself for a male or female customer. The extra head would then have been finished as husband or wife, as the case might be, or some other member of the deceased's family. Or a purely decorative type could have been made of them, both figures being so used. For the sitting figure, compare Meader, 'Symmetry in Christian Relief Sculpture,' Am. Jour. Arch. 1900, p. 137. For the orans, balanced with the Good Shepherd as a terminal figure, compare G. 370, 4. If the orans were thus used decoratively or to represent a living relative of the defunct, we must suppose that the dove was introduced without



Figure 7. -- Epitaph in Lateran, Rome (Garrueei, 485, 15)

meaning and by force of habit. But the sculptor has followed so closely the catacomb-epitaph figure by inserting the dove and in other ways that it seems to me most probable that he chose the orans to mark the occupant of the sareophagus, intending to finish the reading figure as the husband, brother, or other relative, who should have purchased the monument. There are plenty of instances of this figuring

of relatives along with the deceased, one of which may be seen in Fig. 7 (G, 485, 15), where Crescentina, the orans, and Januarius, who is accompanied by doves, are evidently in heaven, while the third figure represents Flavius Aquilinus, who, as the inscription tells us, provided this work of art in his lifetime.

It was very natural for the uninventive fourth century to adopt the old philosophical conversation as a portrait group. We see that it was customary to represent the defunet as a philosopher as early as the Via Salaria sarcophagus. The high regard for the philosopher's pallium, reflected everywhere in Christian art and in the fathers, may have had something to do with it. But the Christians borrowed the pagan scene bodily too, and probably not as a portrait group, as we may see on the Pisan sarcophagus which I have mentioned (G, 370, 3). It is a strigillated sarcophagus with centre and end panels. In the centre we see the reader and a woman listening, in the right end panel a man in pallium, with a scrinium beside him, in the other end panel his wife, holding up one hand in attitude of prayer. At her feet, to the left, partly coneealed by her dress, quite in the manner of our sarcophagus, is what is left of a bird. Garrucci, intrenched behind the fact that the head and neck are gone and the tail not to be seen, thinks that it might be a peacock. It is more likely that it was a dove, as in the case of our orans. In another sareophagus, G. 370, 4, the philosopher and listener occupy the centre panel again, with orans and Good Shepherd at the ends. The position in the centre and the strongly individualized face of the man suggest that here we have a group of man and wife. All these scenes are in the pagan manner. In other sarcophagi we see that the scene has been Christianized. Thus in G. 371.2 (Ravenna), to the reading figure and the listening woman are added three figures, a man, a woman, and a child carrying a box, a purely domestic group, to which the reader and listener seem also to belong. Here, too, the man is dressed in pallium and the woman raises one hand in prayer, a gesture which curiously illustrates the tenacity of pagan tradition. All these sarcophagi are shown by such details and the general character of the decoration (strigils, shepherd scenes, etc.) to be earlier than ours. A real orans does not appear with the philosopher until later, in a sareophagus in the Lateran (G. 371, 1). The listening woman here has both hands raised. Whether this scene is a purely ideal or allegorical "conversation." or was meant to represent a family, is a question. At any rate it shows a group which our sculptor might have copied, and the other examples prove that the scene was already used to figure the married pair. From this hasty comparison we may see how the portrait group on our sarcophagus makes it likely that some at least of the similar groups on others may be also domestic groups. They have litherto been interpreted with various allegorical meanings, ideal representations of Scripture reading, prophet and church, etc.

Marucchi's remarks about the marine genius and his trident are perfectly gratuitous. One might as well say that because the vine is sometimes a Christian symbol, the grapes in Dionysos' hair have a Christian meaning. The allegory rests on an assumption that is not at all justified, for the *concetto elevato* which he ascribes to the sculptor is in itself an improbable thing. Meader, in the article eited above, has shown that the scenes almost never have any inner connection with each other, and are certainly not to be regarded as so many letters in a symbolical alphabet with which the craftsmen of Rome wrote "sermons in stone." They were selected from an artistic point of view and chiefly with reference to symmetry.

But what our monument has lost in allegory it has gained in other ways by a reëxamination. It is best understood as a specimen of the transition from the thirdcentury reliefs to the regular fourth-century type. There are many points of resemblance: the pagan motives, the Good Shepherd, the central group are in the But the spirit is different. The old seenes approach the third-century manner. pagan because they were chosen in pagan shops, and are Christian only in so far as they accord with Christian ideas or do not offend Christian prejudices. Such are the shepherds, fishermen, vines, and vintages which we find in early sarcophagi. Here we have the product of the early fourth century, when Christianity spread faster than the understanding of its meaning. Unaccustomed hands were called to carve new and strange figures; catacomb types had to be brought into use, as we saw in the furled sail on Jonah's ship and the orans with the dove : the shepherdless sheep on Jonah's arbor remain to testify to the questionable orthodoxy of our sculptor. On the other hand, the separation of the scenes is commenced and a new departure is taken in introducing the baptism of Christ, which is conceived in the form it thereafter takes on the sarcophagi, and not after the manner of the catacomb paintings. Besides the minor points of interest, the sarcophagus is very helpful in two respects. The portrait group in the centre affords us a new basis on which to study other such imitations of the old philosopher and listening woman of pagan art. Second, we have in the orans of our sarcophagus a proof that the orans was commonly used as a portrait of the defunct. It is not by any means the only one, but it is perhaps the least disputable. Any one who has gone through the numberless interpretations of the figure will welcome a clear case like this for a landmark in the maze of conflicting and unsatisfactory evidence. It serves at least to qualify the sweeping dictum of Wilpert that the orans figures are never portraits, except in the sense of "ideal portraits," but "Bilder der in der Seligkeit gedachten Seelen der Verstorbenen, welche für die Hinterbliebenen beten, damit auch diese das gleiche Ziel erlangen" (*Ein Cyklus christologischer Gemülde*, pp. 30 ff.).

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#### THE TEXT OF COLUMELLA

# INCLUDING A COLLATION OF CODEX SANGERMANENSIS, FOR LIB. XI. AND A COLLATION OF CODEX AMBROSIANUS, FOR THE FIRST PART OF THAT BOOK<sup>1</sup>

# [PLATE XVIII]

THE text of Columella is transmitted through two ninth-century manuscripts, — Codex Sangermanensis, now in St. Petersburg (Cod. 207, = S), and Codex Ambrosianus L. 85 s., in Milan (=  $\Lambda$ ). The later manuscripts (R) seem to be all copied (directly or indirectly) from  $\Lambda$ , which has been in Italy since it was brought thither by Poggio (1380–1459).

S is one of the manuscripts taken from Paris to St. Petersburg by Dubrowsky in 1800. These manuscripts, in general, came from the monastery of St. Germain des Prés, whither they were brought from Corbie. S itself is written in a French hand of the latter half of the ninth century; and an illuminated letter on fol. 1, *recto*, is also French, of the same period. Moreover, in the eleventh-century catalogue of the Corbie manuscripts (Berlin, Phill., 1865: cf. *Verzeichniss der von der königlichen Bibliothek zu Berlin erworbenen Meerman-Handschriften des Sir Thomas Phillips*, Berlin, 1892, p. 435, no. 195) the manuscript is mentioned, — "Iunii Columelle liber."<sup>2</sup> Perhaps S was written in Corbie itself. It is possible that other manuscripts were copied from this, which remained in France until the end of the eighteenth century.

A, as Professor Traube has ascertained, was in all probability written at Fulda. (1) It is written in a German Insular hand characteristic of Fulda. (2) In the sixteenth-century catalogue of Fulda manuscripts, which apparently is based on older

<sup>1</sup> My thanks are due to my friend and teacher, Professor Ludwig Tranbe, for suggesting this work, and for advice and assistance; also to the *Thesaurus Linguae Latinae*, the Munich Hof- und Staats-Bibliothek, and the Biblioteca Ambrosiana in Milan, for courtesies extended.

The literature on the subject (in which will be found references to older publications) is:

- J. Häussner, Die handschriftliche Ueberlieftrung des L. Junius Moderatus Columalla (de Re-Rustica) mit einer Kritischen Ausgabe des X. Buches, Als Beilage zu dem Programm des Grossherzoglichen Gymnasiums zu Karlsruhe für das Schuljahr 1888-89.
- Valdemar Langlet, 'Ad Columellae Codicem Sangermanensem qui uocatur,' in Eranos, Arta philologica Succana, vol. 1 (1896), Fase, 2.
- L. Iuni Moderati Columellae opera quae exstant recensuit Vilelmus Lundström. Fasciculus primus librum de arboribus continens. Upsaliae-Lipsiae, 4897.
- Id. Fasciculus Sextus rei rusticae librum decimum continens. 1902. (In Collectio Scriptorum Veterum Upsaliensis.)
- J. P. Postgate, 'The Moscow Manuscript of Columella,' in Class. Review, vol. XVII (1903), p. 47.
- Also, the reviews of Lundström's edition, in *Berl. Phil. Workenschrift* for 1898, p. 634; for 1903, p. 422; *Workenschrift für klass, Philologic* for 1898, p. 982; and for 1903, p. 1139 (the last-named review contains a brief summary of the currently accepted estimate of the manuscripts, from which the present article differs in some points).

<sup>2</sup> G. Becker, Catalogi Bibliothecarum Antiqui, 79, no. 204. Also in a Corbie catalogue, written about 1200 v.p. (Becker, 136, no. 335), is the entry, "lunii Moderati rei rustice." catalogues (Franz Falk, Beiträge zur Rekonstruktion der alten Bibliotheca fuldensis und Bibliotheca laureshamensis. Mit einer Beilage: Der Fuldaer Handschriften-Katalog aus dem 16. Jahrhundert. Neu herausgegeben und eingeleitet von Carl Scherer. Leipzig, 1902: p. 106. IX, 17), is the entry: "Columella de re-rustica. fib. 13, 28, or, 4."
(3) Poggio brought a number of other manuscripts from Germany to Italy, among them the Animianus from Fulda. (No other manuscript of Columella is mentioned in the mediaeval catalogues.)

No edition of all of Columella, based on a new collation of S and A, has ever been published, although Lundström has recently done this for de R, R, Lib, X and Lib, de*Achoribus*. The complete edition which Lundström promised is progressing slowly. Accordingly, during my stay in Munich in the summer of 1903, Professor Traube suggested the desirability of taking advantage of the opportunity presented by the presence in that city of the Codex Sangermanensis (sent thither from St. Petersburg for the use of the *Thesaurus Linquae Latinae*), in order to collate one book, and, by means of photographs of a portion of that book in A, to ascertain, if possible, the relation between S and A.

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In the following pages I give my collation of S for Book XI, and of A for the first part of that  $book:^1$ 

<sup>1</sup> I included the partial collation of  $\Lambda$ , in order to furnish a basis for comparison, and was enabled to do so by some photographs which Dr. O. Hey, of the *Thesaurus Linguae Latinae*, who was in Milan at that time working on  $\Lambda$ , kindly had made for me. I have not indicated the (very frequent) correction in S of e to  $\mathfrak{g}$ , made in darker ink. The corrections in darker ink, in general, seem to be of the same period as the text. I used the Turin reprint of Schneider's edition (originally *Scriptorum Rei Rusticae Veterum Latinorum Tomus Scrumbus L. Janium Moderatum Columellum tenens* . . . *vorrexit, atque* . . . *illustravit Io. Gottlob Schneider*, *Sulo*. *Lipsine*, . . . *MDCCXCHII*).

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PAGE 534 Sinc. (be tir eon int ope ade aet ann ab	ostrae ollibuisset ggredior itoris btexerem Ilici ficiis secutus cecutus adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt uenes oera ruris	<b>Tre</b> $\Lambda$ (and frequently as and e-confused) conlibisset $\Lambda$ conlibisset $(\sqrt[s]{darker})$ S adgre/dior S holitoris AS (and thus regularly) subtexerã $\Lambda$ uilicis AS (thus always, uilic- not uillic-) officis ( $(\sqrt[s]{darker})$ S exsecutus $\Lambda$ eã $\Lambda$ similis S om. AS & (deleted) tradidi S de uilico (rustic capitals) AS tymeulũ ( $\sqrt[s]{darker}$ ) S otempnunt $\Lambda$ om. $\Lambda$ S
I, $\S$ 2 non col agg oli sub uil offi exec ca PAGE 534 $\S$ 3 inc. (be tir con inv ope ade aet am ab sex	llibuisset gredior itoris btexerem llici ficiis tecutus dem] adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt uenes	<pre>conlibisset A conlibisset (*darker) S adgre[dior S holitoris AS (and thus regularly) subtexerã A uilicis AS (thus always, uilic- not uillic-) officis (*darker) S exsecutus A eã A similis S om. AS &amp; (deleted) tradidi S de uilico (rustie capitals) AS třunculũ (*darker) S otempnunt A</pre>
eol agg oli sul uil offi exc ca PAGE 534 sin [id tra fin tra eon iuu ope ade aet am ab sex	gredior itoris btexerem Iliei ficiis cecutus dem] adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt uenes	<pre>conlibisset A conlibisset (*darker) S adgre[dior S holitoris AS (and thus regularly) subtexerã A uilicis AS (thus always, uilic- not uillic-) officis (*darker) S exsecutus A eã A similis S om. AS &amp; (deleted) tradidi S de uilico (rustie capitals) AS třunculũ (*darker) S otempnunt A</pre>
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S 3 inc. (be add a at a ab sex ca sin [id] tra tra con add a at a b	btexerem Iliei ficiis secutus mili dem] adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt uenes	subtexeră A uilieis AS (thus always, uilie- not uillie-) offici <sup>4</sup> (*darker) S exsecutus A eă A similis S om. AS & (deleted) tradidi S de nilico (rustie capitals) AS třunculũ (*darker) S otempnunt A
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AGE 534 PAGE 534 Sin [id] tra 5 3 inc. (he tir con inc ope ade aet and ab sex	ficiis secutus dem] adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt uenes	offici <sup>†</sup> (* <i>darker</i> ) S exsecutus A eā A similis S <i>om.</i> AS & ( <i>deleted</i> ) tradidi S de uilico ( <i>rustie capitals</i> ) AS třunculũ (* <i>darker</i> ) S otempnunt A
PAGE 534 PAGE 534 S inc. (be tir con inc. ope ade aet ann ab sex	acentus nili dem] adidi <i>efore</i> uillicum) runeulum ntemnunt uenes	exsecutus A eã A similis S om. AS & (deleted) tradidi S de uilico (rustic capitals) AS třunculũ ( <sup>s</sup> darker) S otempnunt A
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§ 3 inc. (be tir con inv ope ade aet am ab	adidī <i>efore</i> uillicum) runculum ntemnunt nenes	& (deleted) tradidi S de uilico ( <i>rustic capitals</i> ) AS třunculů ( <sup>*</sup> darker) S otempnunt A
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tir con iuu ope ade aet am ab sex	runeulum ntemnunt uenes	třunculů ( <sup>*</sup> darker) S otempnunt A
eor inv ope ade aet am ab	ntemnunt nenes	ətempnunt A
iuu ope ade aet ann ab	uenes	
ope add aet ann ab		
add aet am ab	era ruris	
aet am ab sex		operaris ( <sup>ru</sup> somewhat darker) S
am ab sex	lolescentia negligentem	adulescentia neglegentê S
ab sex		estas A
sex	mo trigesimo	annis quinque & tri   ( $F. 108^r$ begins, S
sex		ginta AS
	anno trigesimo	& triginta A
nit	xagesimum	sexagensimum (N $dcl.$ in S) & quintum A
		uita A, uita ('darker) S
	oortebit	oport & AS
et	doceat	°doceat A
$_{ m dis}$	seitur	dř A, dieitur S
dis	scipulum	discupulum ( <i>left hasta of first</i> V seen
		erased) 8
		$\Lambda$ F. 196 <sup>r</sup> begins, cum domino
Page 535		
§ 5   lat	tino sermoni	latine ( <i>corr. to</i> latino <i>in darker ink</i> ) sermone
(vi	·ir)	om. AS
lse	chomachus	scomachus AS
tar	nquam	tamquã A
	brum	fabra (corr. to fabrū) A
	osente	absentem S
is		om. AS

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'AGE 535		
$1. \pm 5$	Ischomachus	scomachus AS
		A, later hand in margin, deest multū
\$ 15	nostrae qualitas (§ 8 <i>inc</i> .)	om. AS
AGE 536		
\$ 8	que aliqua	q; alia A
		quảe aliquam ( <i>corr. to</i> que aliqua) S
	fodiendi	fouiendi A
	uineti	ueneti (corr. to uineti in darker ink) S
	atque	&   que S
\$ 9	prius dixi	dixi prius AS
	unoquoqué	ino <sup>quog.</sup> (*darker) S
	reprehendisse	reprehendi AS
	loquor	loqua <b>u</b> A, loquatur (t <i>del.</i> , m <i>darker</i> ) S
	futurus figulus	futurus higillus A
	faber	fauer (corr. to faber in darker ink) S
	haud	haut <sup>d</sup> A, haut S
AGE 537		
§ 10	diffusa	diffussa S
, in the second s	partesque	partesquae ( <i>darker</i> ) S
	antistites	antestites S
	fecerit	ceperit S
	immensam	A, F. 196 <sup>*</sup> begins, inmensã, immensã S
§ 11	negligi	neglegi $\Lambda$
	sapientiae	scientiae S
	contrario	contraria A
	obmutescendi	ommutescendi A
$\{12\}$	gloria est	$+$ gloria $\Lambda$
	intelligo	intellego AS
	plurimos	plurim; A
		S, F. $108^r$ begins, ut universe
	reperiatur	repperiatur A
AGE 538		
	foeni	faeni S
§ 13	complurium	cum plurinm S
	agrestium	agestium A
	etiam	$\int om. A$
	nitet	bit   & S
	somniculosum	submiculoso A, somniculoso S
	effugiunt	officiunt AS

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AGE 558		
l. § 14	Tum	dum A
	venereis	ueneriis AS
	quidquam	quicquã AS
		$\hat{\Lambda}, \hat{F}. 197^{r}$ begins, p temporibus
PAGE 539		
	aggredi	adgredi AS
\$15	nec	om. A
	lsehomachus	scomachus A
		contachus ( <i>corr. to</i> seomachus <i>in darker ink</i> ) S
	inquit	inquiq (corr. to inquit in darker ink) S
	agilem	agilē atque AS
	negligentem	neglegentem S
\$16	affert	adfert AS
	tricandi	tricandi (later hand in margin, c'meretricadi
	peruenit is	puenitis (with a long + drawn through the
		second ( in darker ink) S
	vix	om. A
§ 17	proelium	p lium A, pre(ae?)lium S
v	tanquam (twice)	tamquã (twice) A
	variisque	uarisque S
	laborantes	laborantis S
	auferat	autherat (with the first T deleted in darker
		ink) S
	ut ab ipso	ab ipso A
§ 18	relinquat	relinquerit S
U	omnes	omnis S
	e grege nullam	egre nullã S
	tum	tune S
	ille	illo A
	diligens	diliges ("darker) S
	opilio: nee	oppi   mo A, ? corr. to opilio nee S
	[suo]	suo AS
	delitescat	dilitiseat A, delitiseat S
	sauciatus	sauciatis S
	noxam	noxium   A, noxiã S
	ceperit	coeperit A
	languidior est, in valetudina-	languidiore ut ualetudinari   A, languidioren
	rium	ut ualetudinari S
		$\Lambda, F. 197^{v}$ begins, corū similiter
§ 19	frugalitatis	fragilitas A

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PAG1, 509		E Lour Laine and Libra
L § 19		<b>5.</b> $F.$ 109 <sup><math>r</math></sup> begins, sacris diebus
	coenet	cenet A, cenet (, perhaps darker) S
YGE 511		festos <sup>4</sup> ( $^{4}$ darker) S
	festosque	Talis S
\$ 20	eomparet	comparat $\Lambda$
	huiusmodi	eiusmodi A: eius eius modi S
§ 21	quam	om. A
	sagatis	sagaceis AS
	hiemalis dies	hiemalib; diebus AS
	singulis	omnibus $\Lambda S$
	impunitatis	inpunitatis AS
	spem	sepem (first E deleted in darker ink) S
2age 542 § <u>22</u>	quotidie citare	eotidie eitare $\Lambda$ : cotidie <sup>e</sup> citare S
	innexa: tum	nexatum A: nexa · tũ ( <i>· darker</i> ) S
	munita	munita (corr. from munda in darker ink) S
	vinxerit	uinexerit S
	resolvat	soluat AS
	aruspicem	haruspicem AS
§ 23	emendae	f emendende A
8		deliquendi S
	delinquendi l	at S
	ad	
4.04		A, F. $198^{r}$ begins, coegerit necessitas
\$ 24	quam	om. A
	nnquan	umquam AS
	[eum]	om. AS
PAGE 543	ubi [aeris] numeratio exigitur.	ubi non est numeratio res AS
	res	
	istud	studiù $\Lambda$
	fugiendum	fugient dũ (T deleted in darker ink) S
\$ 25	temperet	temperate $\Lambda$ ; temperat (corr. to temperae
		in darker ink) S
	magis eins	eĩ magis A: eins S
	severitatem	seueritate   A
	saevitiam	senitia A: senitia S
	si maluerit	<sup>i</sup> simaluerit ( <sup>si</sup> Car. Min.) A
		om. AS: in S. lacuna is indicated by a
	vel nequissimi fecisse quid- quid (§ 28)	om. AS: 111 S. tacuna is inducated by an apparently later oblique line

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PAGE 544		
$1. \le 28$	nam	$\tilde{n}   \Lambda, num   \tilde{S}$
	facti imprudentia	facti nel inprudentia AS
	negligentia	neglegentia AS
	amissi	amisi $\Lambda$
§ 29	improvidus	inprouidus AS
	vetustissimus	$\operatorname{uetus}^{\operatorname{st}}_{\operatorname{st}}$ : $\Lambda$
	Hesiodus	<sup>h</sup> esiodus $\Lambda$
		S. F. 109 <sup>r</sup> begins, hoc uersu
	Αἰεὶ δ'ἀμβολιεργὸς ἀνὴρ ἄταισι	ΑΙΕΙΑΑΝΒΟΛΙΕΡΤΟCΑΝΗΡΑΤΑΑΙΟΙΠΜΑΙΕ
	παλαίει	$\Lambda$ (later hand in margin, ale) & $a\mu_3$ $\delta\lambda\epsilon ho\gamma$
		άνήρ άτησι παλαίει). ΑΙΕΙΔΑΝ ΒΟΛΙΕΡΤΟ
		CANEPATA AICITTAAAIE >
PAGE 545		
	totum	totam S
4.55	periisse nisi	perisse nisi $\Lambda$ , perisse ni $S$
\$ 30	momentis	<sup>m</sup> omentis ( <sup>m</sup> darker) S
	tieri	om. A
	quidque	$\operatorname{quit}_{\mathbf{q}}^{\mathfrak{a}}: \Lambda$
	oporteat	oport& AS
	sequantur	secuntur A, sequitur S
	tempora	temporae A
		A. F. 198 <sup>+</sup> begins, Quare necessaria
	officii	officium A, officiũ S
	ratione	rationem (R deleted in darker ink) $8$
	et	$om. \Lambda$
$\S 31$	Virgilius	uergilius AS
	tentantur	temtantur   $\Lambda$
	contra quam	$_{ m otra}$ aquam $\Lambda$
	infitior in iis	infitior $\tilde{y}$ in his A, inficior in his S
	astrologos	astrologůs $\Lambda$
§ 32	quantum vis	quānis AS
	utile	inutile   A
	continget	$\operatorname{contingit}_{u_m} \Lambda S$
	persuasum	persuaseriț A
Page 546	manato	in secure AS
	suspecta vidaria	suscepta $\Delta S$
	sideris	séderis A $\frac{1}{2}$
Con 11	satis	sitis $\Lambda$
Cap. H	Itaque	Itěque S
	nunquam	ňnumquã A, nonnūquã S
	ne	$n^* \Lambda$

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PAGE 546	]. ]	1 <sup>121</sup>
Cap. II	discedamus	desiĥamus A, desistamus S
Page 547	qui	qđ AS
\$ 2	aliquid	$\operatorname{aliquit}^{\circ} \Lambda$
• '	consumta	osumpta A
\$ 3	Romani	pmani A. promani (P del. in durker ink) S
C.	auspicari	rusticari AS
	inchoabit	incohabit S
	exegi quodque	exequi qq A. exsequi quoque S
		A. F. 1997 begins, opus nimiñ
	immature	inmature A
	at end of § 3, after tarde	dies celestes A, dies caelestes S ( <i>in red rustic</i>
		capitals and uncials)
§ 4	tempestas incerta	$ ext{tempes}^{ ext{tas}}$ incerta $\Lambda$
	Febr. sol	ss sol A, sep (corr. to ss in darker ink) sol s
	auster cum	ašter č $\Lambda$
	xv Cal. Febr.	XII K SS (ss darker, earr. from sph?) S
	Febr. Fidicula vespere	ss fidicula uesper A. sep (corr. to ss in darke
		ink) fidicula uesp S
<u></u> \$ 5	1x Calen. Febr.	vm k sep S
	VI Calend. Febr.	vi k sep S
	nonnunquam	nonnumquam AS
	significatur, hiems bipertitur.	significat hiemps biperitur AS
	v Calend, Febr,	v k sep S
	Africus	frigus A
		8, F. 110 <sup>r</sup> begins, hiemat pluuins dies
	oceidit	occidere significat AS
	quae	qui AS
	sunt	om. AS
	occasus	occasum A
\$ 6	semestrium	semimenstruum A, semestrũ S
	annotatis	adnotatis AS
	brumam	bruma A
	Favonii	fauoni AS
	vineae	ut uineae S
Page 549	quidquid	quicquit A
1 AGE 040 \$ 7	siccantur	sectunt   A, secuntur S
5.	attenuari	attenuri (V corr. to A?) A. ap (P corr. from
		in darker ink) to (after E one letter erased):
	after agrum	$\delta$ above line $\Lambda$

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PAGE 549		
11. <u>\$</u> 7	tum	cũ S
		A (at bottom of page, later hand) $ m h$ occupi en
		(sic) seg&es emundari acerui uirgarum
		$\Lambda, F. 199^r$ begins, tepenti iam die
	locis	$\log A$
	defendenda	defenda A
	foeni	feni   A. faeni S
<b>§</b> 8	ueruagendi	ueru agiendi AS
	post arandi	om. AS
	proseinditur	$\tilde{\mathbf{p}}$ seindi $\mathbf{\hat{u}}$ A
§ 9	eodemque	eodē A
0	sarriendae	<sup>*</sup> ariende A, sariende S
Page 550		
	vernaeulum	uennaculum AS
	sarritio	sartio AS
$\{ 10 \}$	quatuor	quattuor AS
	ereverit	creuit AS
	sarmisse	saruisse AS
	seremus	serenus A
$\S 11$	primum	prime A, primi S
	afferunt	adferunt AS
	cerasorum	cerasiorum AS
	tuberum	tuburũ S
	amygdalarum	amygdalorū AS
	trigesimam	trigesima A
PAGE 551		
	sie caesa	sicca ee A, siccaessa (corr. to siccaesa) S
$\S 12$	oleagineas	oleagina <sub>t</sub> eas S
	Incubrationem	lugubratione A
	conficere totidemque	eon   $F.$ 200 $^r$ begins, figeret totidemq: A
PAGE 552	C	
	conficere	conficer& ( <i>'erased</i> ) S
a <b>1</b> 0	antelucanam	antilucanam A
<b>§ 1</b> 3	per quadrata debet pedum	debet per   quadratos pedes A, deb& per quadratos pedes S
	haee	hoc AS
		S. F. 110 <sup>r</sup> begins, sexagenum pedum
	v et xx	*&uiginti .v.   A
	aeque	agg: (above the line) A
	abies atque populus	$\operatorname{atq}$ · abies populis A
	populus	populis (corr. to populus in darker ink) S

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	ED. SCHNEIDER (BOOK XI)	Codex Ambrosiants (A) and Codex Sangermanensis (S)
PAGE 552		
11. § 13 (	mpressus	$expressus   \Lambda $
i	ıd	in AS
į	uitem pediim XL	at <sup>pedum</sup> quadraginta ( <sup>pedum</sup> humanistic hand) A
1	lae	cae AS
\$ 1 L I	loetus	fetus S
	piadrupedia	quadri pedia S
PAGE 553		
	Eurinus	$\operatorname{curin}^* \Lambda$
	forus	chorus AS
	ionnunquam	$ $ nonnumquam $\Lambda$
C.	vii Idus Febr.	$v_{11} \cdot idus septebr S$
	sidus	fidis A, fidus S $r$
	Favonii	$\begin{array}{c} \text{fauoni AS} \\ \text{i. 1. } 1 \leq 7.4 \text{ (l.t.m2)} \end{array}$
	Before III	in Ambr. 7 † (later.?)
	Feb.	om. S
	loenum submittuntur	fenù sùmittuntur S
	rigora omissae	frigore omisso $\Lambda$
	alandae	$p^*$ lande A
	ılligandae	alliganda (corr. to alligandae in darker ink) S
Page 554	postea	ptea S
	isdem	hisdem A, isdem S
	peragenda	per agenda $\div \Lambda$ , peragenda est S
	inienda est, quorum	figenda quo rum A, fienda quo rū S
	rerta	ceria (first C erased?) $\Lambda$
	ion possunt	$^{\rm h}{ m possunt}$ A
	Decembri	decembri <sup>°</sup> ( <i>° darker</i> ) S
•	lannario	ianurio A
ť	•st iam	etiam A, &iam S
ī	ita nt	id at $\Lambda$ , itantem S
(	lipondii	A. F. $200^r$ begins, dupundius, dupondius S
	semissis	semis A
]	bipalium	uipedaliŭ A, ui (corr. to bi in darker ink
	,	pedalium S
(	·ui	que A, quae S
PAGE 555		
• '	oleribus	holeribus AS (so always)
	vel	$om, \Lambda S$
	sesquipedalis	sexquipedalis A
	ligerenda	degerenda $\Lambda$
;	arboribus	oleribus $\Lambda$

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PAGE 555		
$\Pi, \S 18$	inspergenda	inspargenda AS
	vitiaria	uinearia AS
	[quam recentissimus]	curio- quã curiosissime AS
	sissime	
<b>§ 1</b> 9	Populos	populus AS
	fraxinos	fraxinus AS
	nune	nun AS
	est aut ante	est ante ant $\tilde{\mathbf{e}}$ $\mathbf{AS}$
	nune (second)	nun A
	radiculas	radices AS
	Sarmenta quoque vineis	sarmen te uineis A, sarmentae uineis S
	quidquid	quicquit A
PAGE 556	iacens	facile AS
	molientem	molliem   A, molli en <sup>te</sup> ( <i>first</i> $\perp$ <i>deleted</i> , and
	monentem	
	impoling	written in darker ink) S inpedire AS
	impedire	
	egerere applicare	egere A aplicari ( <sup>°</sup> <i>darker</i> ) S
	arundineta	harundineta $\Lambda S$
	colere	eolore A
	deputata	deputa AS
e 20	genistam Trimestrium	genestã AS trimenstruum AS
$\S 20$		
	administretur	administraretur AS
	vespere	uesper AS
	erater	grater A
	Pisces	pisee A, piscé (~ darker) S
	nonnunquam	ñnumquâ A
	favonius desinit	apparently in an erasure, but in the same kind
e .51	and the standard and a standard	of ink S
$\S~21$	venti Septentrionales	nentis septentrionales $\Lambda$
	Ornithiae	OPNEIGIALAS
D. on 117		A, F. $201^r$ begins, uel choro
Page 557	Coro	ehoro S
	crepuseulo	in crepusculo A
	Haleyonei	alcyonaei AS
		S, F. $111^r$ begins, in atlantico
§ 22	frigidis	frigidus S
3	vivira   dicis	uiuae radieis AS

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	ED. SCHNEIDER (BOOK XI)	Codex Ambrosianus (A) and Codex Sangermanensis (S
PAGE 557	•	
1, § 22	esse temporis Cal.	tempolris & A Kalendus A
PAGE 558	Cat.	
§ 23	utique	ntiquenti Λ, utiquenți ( <i>— through</i> nt <i>— darker</i> ) S
	[est]	om. AS
§ 24	vī Nonas Martii Vindemiator	v1 NON $\cdot$ SS $\cdot$ uindemitor AS
	quem	quã A
	Graeci	greei AS (so regularly)
	$ au ho  u \gamma \eta  au \hat{\eta}  ho a$ dieunt	IPYFHTHPA dicut (later, in margin, τρυγη   τηρα) Λ
	Equus	equos A
§ 25	turbam	turba A
	negligentius	neglegentius AS
	aut nune	at nune A
	culturarum	cultărũ A
§ 26	usque in	usquem A
	movent	moueant A
Page 559	humidis	umidis AS (so regularly)
	vitinm	uitio A
	utilissime deponuntur	utilissima deponitur A
	Sarritura	sartura AS
	sarrit	sarit AS
		Codex Sangermanensis
§ 27	[a]	om.
	submittuntur	${ m sumittunt}^2$
\$ 28	praeparare	fieri
	[11]	quaternũ
Page 560	sit	om.
1.1012-0007	dipondio semisse	dupondii semissis
§ 29	amurcam	amurea
	habeat	habeant
	conueniet	conueri&
	sex	om.
	habuerint	habuerit
§ 30	baccas	bagas
	myrti cacterorumque	murti ceterorumque
	orthocissos	om.
	ederas	hederas

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Page 560			
H, § 30	iidem	idem	
	Mart.	martis	
	Corus	chorus	
Page 56I	D		
	Equus	aequus Regarde la	
		$F. 111^r$ , begins, mane septentrionales	
	ningit	ninguit	
	IX et VIII Calendarum Aprilium	v (erased) viii k ss ·	
$\S 32$	pinguia	pinqua ('darker)	
	et quae	atque	
	ueruaeta fecimus	uerbacta facimus	
	siquae	sique	
	maritae	marita <sup>t</sup> ( <sup>t</sup> darker)	
	relictae	relictę ( <i>"darker.</i> ?)	
	quem	quã	
	sera	cetera	
	huiusmodi	eiusmodi	
§ 33	panici	panicii	
• /	quadrupedia	quadripedia	
	in locis	ad locis	
	Idibus Martiis	idus martis	
PAGE 562		n	
	nonnunquam	nonnumquam	
	pridie	pride ( <sup>~</sup> seems darker)	
	Aprilis Vergiliae	ss · uergilię ( <i>_darker</i> )	
	celantur	celantur ( , <i>darker</i> )	
	Austri et	Austri (et om.)	
	significant	significat (over a there seems to have been	
		afterwards crased)	
§ 35	Aprilis Suculae	$\overline{ss} \cdot sucule(, darker)$	
	uitesque	uites quae	
	Oves	obes	
PAGE 563	1:	1.:	
0.00	hiemat	hiemam	
§ 36	Decimooctavo Calen.	XVIII & maias	
	XIIII Cal. Maias Suculae	XIIII $\mathbf{\tilde{k}} \cdot s \mathbf{\tilde{s}} \cdot sucul ( darker)$	
	se	<i>om</i> .	
	pluviam	<i>om</i> .	
	bipartitur	bipertitur	
Page 564	humidus	uel idus	
	Fidicula	fiducula	
	1.1010.0119	in the tale	

	ED. SCHNFIDER (BOOK X1)	Codex Sangermanensis
 Page 564		
H, § 37 -	phuniae, Pridie Cal. Maias	plunii • Priđ k ss •
	celat	celat ( , <i>durker</i> )
	caeteraeque	$\operatorname{ceter}_{\mathbf{y}} \left( \int_{\mathbf{y}} darker \right)$ que
	genere	genere ( <sub>1</sub> darker)
$\S 38$	pampinatio	panpinatio
	inchoatur	$\operatorname{incoatur}\left( {}^{h}darker \right)$
	digito	diqito ( <sub>1</sub> darker)
	possint	possunt
	fossor	fussor (corr. to fossor in similar ink)
	negligentia	neglegentia
	foetus	fetus
§ 39	Cal. Maiis	kł maias
	biduo	niduo
	unam	una
	particulam	particulă sucula cũ sole exoritur
$^{\circ}AGE$ 565	ttt Nonas Maias	F. $112^{R}$ begins, 111 non sis.
	Maiis Vergiliae   Corus	$\cdot \overline{ss} \cdot \operatorname{uergili}_{g} ( _{y} darker )$ chorus
	plunia vi Idus	pluuie ( <i>corr. to</i> pluuia <i>in similar ink</i> ) yı id ss •
8 10		
<u></u> § 40	Vergiliae totae Corns	nergilie totę ( <i>darker</i> ) chorus
	runcandae	nonandae
	foenisicia instituenda	fenisicie ( <i>y darker</i> ) instituende
	ablaqueatas	ablaqueatis
AGE 566	LXV	LXX
§ 41	IIseminaria	sminaria (corr. to seminaria in darker ink)
U	erebro	crebre
	oportebit	oportet
	sed a Calendis	sed & a kł
	sed	uineis sed
	novellis uineis danda fossio est	nouellis <sup>-</sup> fossio <sup>-</sup> danda <sup>-</sup> est
	lisdem	isdem
	coelum	caelum
	et emuseantur	& muscantur
	Caeterum tepidis	ceterum tepedis (second e corr. to i in darken
		ink)
	Decembres	decembris
\$ 42	mistis	mixtis

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PAGE 566		
H. § 42	praecipimus	precepimus
§ 43	Maiis Fidis	maias fides
	Euronotus	eurinus
	Cal. Iunias Euronotus	k · $s$ · eurinus
	Cal. Iun. sol	$ki ss \cdot$
PAGE 567		
	Calend.    Iun. Suculae	$\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{s} \mathbf{s} \cdot \mathbf{s}$ uculę ( <i>Jarker</i> )
	nonnunqaam	nonnumquam
§ 44	eandemque et caeteras	eandem quã et ceteras
	pampinare	panpinare
	pampinabit	panpinabit
	oves	obes (corr. to oues in darker ink)
	aut amissi	& mulsi
	serit	squit ( <i>darker</i> )
	aratro	aratro (second R corr. from P in darker ink
PAGE 568		
$\{45$	Corus	chorus
$\frac{1}{8}$ 46	fructiferae	frugiferę ( <i>Jarker</i> )
č	ante	ante (N written in darker ink in place of an
		earlier N. as it seems)
	iugera duo	iugera duabus
	At	ad (corr. to at in durker ink)
	lirantur una iugera	lirant <sup>°</sup> una in iugera
§ 47	tritici obseri modii	F. 112 <sup>r</sup> begins, tritici obseri modi
2 11	caeterorumque	cetereorüque (third E del. in darker ink)
	modii	modi
	lisdem	Isdem (1 extends below the line)
D	IISQCIII	Istem (1 extends below the that)
Page 569	cultus	0 <i>m</i> .
§ 48	pabulum oportet	om,
2 -	A Cal. autem Iuniis	a kł autem iunias
	Autumnum	autumni
\$ .19	in Canero	canero (above the line, apparently somewha
	in cancro	
	- Creation	darker)
	a Graecis	grece
	oφιούχος Cal Lali Salatition	
	Cal. Iulii Solstitium	kł śś · solistitiù
	quae	(, somewhat darker)
$\S~50$	siliquae	siliqua
	paleam	paleas
	omneis	omnis

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PAGE 570		
$11. \S 50$	aluos	alueos
	ad Cal. Maias	a ki maias
	demetendi	ådem & eundi (å at beginning erased, n del by a line somewhat darker)
	uaeant	bacant (b corr. to v in darker ink)
	adaperti	adopertis
§ 51	Calen. Iuliis	kl iulias
۴'	Sexto Id. Iul.	v idus ss.
Page 571		
	optime	optim (corr. to optime in darker ink)
	siluestris	siluestres (corr. to siluestris in somewha darker ink)
	utilissime exstirpatur	utilissimae extirpatur
	mane	om.
	[Nono significat.]	om.
	(elare)	om.
§ 53 Page 572	Canicula Augustas	om.
§ 54	triginta quam desecta est stra- menta praecisa	triginta <sup>-</sup> praecisa (and in margin <sup>-</sup> quã de secta est stramta in similar ink)
	acervum	acerũ
	adobruere	adobrure (* <i>somewhat darker</i> ?)
	sementis	sementis (mentis darker, in erasure)
§ 55	de fodiendis colendisve	de colendis
C	(iam)	om.
	esse mensem	mensem esse
	omittendum	omia(=u?)endũ (corr. to omittendũ in darke ink)
§ 56	humidis	umidis
e) –	ficulneis arboribus	arbori ficulneis
Page 573		
	Cal. Augustis Etesiae	kł augustis &esię ( <i>erasure above line</i> ) <i>F. 113 <sup>r</sup> begins</i> , medius nebulosus
$\S~57$	et	om.
2	tempestatem	tempestē
§ 58	lloc	The
5 50 Page 574		
	Vindemiator	uindemitor
	111 Cal. Septemb. humeri	III k ss umeri
	Etcsiae	&esię (s in erasure)
\$ 59	vesperi	uespere

	ED. SCHNEIDER (BOOK XI)	CODEX SANGERMANENSIS
PAGE 574		
$11, \S 59$	inoculantur	inoculant
§ 60	Quibusdam	quibusdă <sup>aŭ</sup> ( <sup>aŭ</sup> perhaps somewhat darker)
	refringitur, et resolvitur	refri <sup>n</sup> ( <sup>n</sup> perhaps somewhat darker) gitur et soluitur
	pulverentur	pluuerentur (uer <i>in erasure</i> ?)
	est terra, vel rara ipsa vitis	est uel terra uel ipsa uitis
	modii	modi
	quum fruticaverint	cũ fruticauerunț
	tum	eũ
PAGE 575		
	stercus vineis praebent	&ercus uineis prebent
§ 61	est status caeli sieut	a (erased) e ( arker) status caeli sui cui
U	At e	ade (corr. to at e in darker ink)
	provinciis	p nin u'r (- perhaps darker ink)
	vel aliis tegumentis uvae	uelis uel aliis tegmentis uue ( darker)
$\S 62$	quum villicae	tù uilice
2 02	Filix	Felix (corr. to Filex in darker ink)
	exstirpatur	extirpatur
e 1:9	austrinus	auctrinus (corr. to austrinus)
§ 63		• ss • arcturus
	Septemb. Arcturus	
	exoritur	eaoritur (corr. to exoritur in darker ink)
	Corus	chorus
	Capra	cara
PAGE 576	toutiotum	tertia cù
§ 64	tertiatum ·	decoquint (* darker)
	decoquant	-
	quum uillicae officia exequar,	praccipia cum uilice ( <i>darker</i> ) officia p
0.0*	praecipiam	sequar
§ 65	Corus	ehorus Rectave le t
		F. 113" begins
	Corus	<sup>c</sup> horus ( <sup>c</sup> darker??)
	Auster	aut(t erased)ster
§ 66	etiam pluviam	&pluuiam
PAGE 577	intendence West subscience	
	interdum    et pluviam	om.
	Aequinoctium autumnale plu- viam significat	aequinotium plerumque   significat
	desinit	definit (corr. to desinit by erasure)
§ 67	vindemiae	uindemię ( <i>darker</i> )
-	regionibus fiunt	regioni <sup>b</sup> flunt ( <sup>b</sup> darker, fi retouched in darker, ink)

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Page 577		
11. § 67	aliter	alter
	immaturis	inmaturis
	eadem omnia	omnia eadem
	intemperiem solis	intemperi solis
§ 68	tentaverunt	tẽptauerunt
PAGE 578		
\$ 69	nos facimus	nox (corr. to nos in darker ink) fecimus
	contemplari	contemplare
	propemodum	pretermodum
	afferre	adferre
	quum in	eŭ ita in
	aestuante	om.
	patitur ea percoqui	patiatur ea precipi (and a letter erased, prob-
		ably(A)
PAGE 579		
$\S{71}$	decoquat .	dequoquat
	consueverint	consueuerit
	rapinae	rapinę (, perhaps darker)
	farrago ordeacea	farraginaria
	opp. siliqua, in marg.	siliqua · fenŭ grecŭ
	foenum graecum	faenum grecũ
	conseritur	conserunt
$\{72$	hace	hae
	quem	qđ
	faseolus	passolus
	Calendas	calendas (corr. to kalendas in somewhat darker ink)
	curam	eūram
	villicae	uilicę ( <i>darker</i> )
\$ 73	Non. Octobris	noñ. 'ss
PAGE 580		
	desinit	desint
		F. 114 <sup>R</sup> begins, significat nonnumquã
	stella	stelle (corr. to stella)
\$ 74	octobris Corona	$\vec{ss} \cdot corona$ (final $\vec{e}rased$ )
¢.'	nonnunquam	nonnumquam
		supra (darker)
	- quae supra scripta Li domana regionilum framouto	quae scripta
	lisdemque regionibus frumenta	
	inatura seruntur	seruntur V. m.l. M
\$ 75	novem vel decem	v · nel vI ·

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Page 580		
II, § 75	ordeisex	om.
č	vel panici	om.
	faseoli	faseli
Page 581		
	unum vel	om.
	novem vel decem	viii · uel x ·
	cicerculae	eir(r <i>crased</i> )cercul <sub>e</sub>
	ciceris modios duos vel tres	om.
	viciae	uitiae
	vel octo viciae	uel uiciae
	vel sex	I vj. (darker, in crashre)
	quatuor vel quinque	m · uel v ·
	ordeaceae	hordeace
	cyathos	quadros (corr. to quathos in darker ink)
	denum latis pedum	<i>om</i> .
§ 76	Idibus ponuntur (§ 79)	(written in an erasure, at least partially; als apparently the following line)
	tempestas nonnunquam	teperat nonnumquam
	Quarto et decimo Calendas	tantûmodo iugulae exoriuntur uespere · x11 kł
\$ 77	Calendas Novembris solis exortu	λ solis exortũ
AGE 582		
ş 78	Tertio Calendas et pridie No- vembris (Cassiope)	111 κ šš · & priđ · cassiope (novembris om.)
§ 79	arbusculaeque	arbuseule <sub>s (g</sub> darker) quae (gdarker)
	pampinata	panpinata
	arbuseulaeque	arbuscule(e corr. from o in durker ink)qua (a crased)
	eominariis untara	seminaris putari
AGE 583	seminariis putare	semmaris patari
in the second	tamen	tameñ (n <i>darker</i> ) (e <sub>N</sub> )
	pampinantur	panpinantur
\$ 80	saepe	sepe (, not , darker)
ð -	solere	solere (re at cul of line, in darker ink: a
		beginning of next line, crased)
	sit	sint
$\S 81$	flore	florē
	operariis	operaris
	aliam sementim	ulla ( <i><sup>-</sup>darker</i> ) sementem
	obrui	obruere
		F. 114 <sup>*</sup> begins, & nouissimis

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Page 583		(2) (2) (2)
H. § 81	coactos	<sup>co</sup> actos ( <sup>co</sup> darker)
	tolli	tollere
§ 82	sarriri	sariri
	affirmare	adfirmare
	rivosque	riuos
PAGE 584		
§ 83	Hisdem	isdem
	iligneam	ilfigneā (/ darker)
	diebus xxx praebueris per ver scabiosi	diebus prebueris ut ait hyginus scabiosi
	immiscenda	inmiscenda
	apponenda	adp( <i>corr. from</i> adb, <i>apparently</i> )onenda
	acerbum	aceruum
§ 84	postridie	post tridie
	III Non. Novembris Fidicula	111 NON ss · fidicula (corr. from fidicuia in darker ink)
Page 585	VII Idus Novembris tempesta-	v11 ið si • signi fleat tépestaté
a 07	tem significat	
$\S 85$	potueris	poteris
	eerte	ce <sup>r</sup> te ( <i><sup>r</sup> darker</i> )
	spargas	peragas
	competierit	conpetierit
	Novembris	nouembres
\$ 86	et	om.
PAGE 586		
	quoquoversus	quoque uersus
a 0 <b>7</b>	quinos	quinque
§ 87	stercoris	stercoris (in erasure, written in an almos eursive hand, apparently for lack of room)
	circumspergere	circumspargere
	sextarii	sestarii
	urinae	urinę (į darker)
	sextarios	sestarios
	pedos	pedes
	ablaqueant	oblaqueant
§ 88	Idibus Novembris	Idus nouembres
	Septimo eum pluvia	om.
Page 587	Sex    todecimo Calendas De- cembris	xvi k decêbres

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Page 587		
II. $\S 88$	Fidis	fides
	Quintodecimo Calendas Decem- bris	xv t ss ·
	vesperi	uespere
§ 89	Undecimo Calendas Decembris	F. 115 ", begins, XI KI SS .
	ortu	oritus (i and s crased)
§ 90	praeterita erunt	p terita er (except p. darker, in erasure)
C .	confecisse	fecisse
	de	om.
	diurnum	diutnũ (tnũ darker, in erasure)
	tempus	tempus (t touched up in darker ink)
	adiiciendum	adiciendum
	aguntur	$\operatorname{agant}^2$
	et	after & one letter erased
	exacuique	exag   (corr. to exacui   in darker ink)qua (_darker)
	alvearia	albaria
AGE 588		
	foecunda	fecunda
	corbes	cornes (corr. to corbes in durker ink)
§ 91	aliquid	aliquit   (corr. to aliquid   in darker ink)
	affert	adfert
	iis	his
	novem	nouê ( <i>~ darker</i> )
$\S 92$	praeparari	praepari (" perhaps darker)
č	iampridem	iam pridie
	piscina	piscena (corr. to piscina)
	ilignea	ilignea (first   darker)
<b>§</b> 93	irrorat, Tertio Idus Decembris Corus	
AGE 589		
AGE 585 \$ 94	Sextodecimo Calendas Ianuarii	XVI to ianuarias
2.1	Nono Calendas Ianuarias	VIII T S. (under last 1, 7, apparently later
	sieut Chaldei	sie chaldei
	uespere vespere occidit	uesperi occidit uespere
\$ 05	-	-
§ 95	causa	cansam
	quidquid comprehenditur	quidquid ( <i>corr. to</i> quicquid <i>by erasure</i> ) «õphendit

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PAGE 589		
$\Pi_{5} \S 95^{\circ}$	oleum	om.
	alligetur	$\operatorname{alligent}^{\sharp}$
Page 590		
	imponantur	inponantur
§ 96	cerasi	cerasia
	etiam	tam &ia
§ 97	hiems	hiemps (p <i>del</i> .)
	Fidis	fides
§ 98	Pridie Id. Ian.	$F.~115^{v}$ begins, priđ idus s $\overline{s}$ $\cdot$
	Idus	after idus, cibariarũ per singulos menses, in
		red rustic capitals
	iugo	iuga
Page 591		
	quoque	quoquo (corr. to quoque in darker ink)
	subiiciemus	subiciemus
§ 99	macerati	maceratis   (s erased)
•	foeni	faeni
	affatim	adfatim
	ex ilice vel lauro	ex siliquis & lauru
	ordeaceam	hordeaceam
	siccam	om.
	mense	om.
<b>§ 10</b> 0	ex Cal. ad Idns	ex kl ad (idibus corr. to idus in darker ink)
U	vel foeni	et faeni
	pabulum affatim	papulum adfatim
	Calen.	kalendis
	affatim <i>twice</i>	adfatim <i>twice</i>
§ 101	ficulnea	ficulneã
•	Novemb.	nouembri
	corbis	coruis bis (corr. to corbis   in darker ink)
	unum	om.
	immistum	inmistum
PAGE 592		
SATER OTH	immistum	inmixtū
	farraginem	faraginem
	Decemb.	decembri
	farraginem	faraginem
Cap. $\Pi$	0	III om. : to the right. de cultu hortorũ, in reo
		rustic capitals

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PAGE 592		
$\Pi I, \S 1$	villicum exequi	uilicũ   exsequi
	euram	eura
	quotidiani	cotidiani
	ruris dapes	rured (erasure) apes ( darker; in the eras- ure had been e)
§ 2	Democritus pecudumque	
	munimus (§ 2 ad fin.)	om.
		ins. de muniendo et colendo horto (in red rustic capitals)
Page 593		
\$ 3	Vetustissimi	uetussimi ( <sup>tis</sup> darker)
U	impensam	inpensam
	immensis temporibus	inmsis operi bus
§ 4	(et latitudinis)	om.
e,	sint	si <sup>2</sup> t (corr. to sint in darker ink)
	paliuri	paliři ( <sup>v</sup> darker)
§ 5	iautem	om.
•/	immiscere	inmiscere
	conspersa illinitur	consparsa inlinitur
Page 594		
		$F. 116^{R}$ begins, sulcorũ altitudinẽ
§ 6	inhaerent toris	inhę ("somewhat darker, next letter erased) oris
3	possint	possit
	cirea trigesimum	eitra tric(corr. to g in darker ink)en(n del. by
		darker line)simũ
	coeperunt	coeperint
D. on 505	L.	Ĩ
Page 595 c 7	survey II seendant	super so populant
§ 7	super    scendant	super se pandant adquieseant
e e	acquiescant	• de sitn • (in somewhat darker rustie capitals)
§ 8	opp. locũ, in mary. popunittit	permit <sup>iit</sup> ( <sup>in</sup> darker, in an almost cursive hand)
	permittit adveniente	aduente (corr. to adueniente in darker ink, in
		almost cursive hand)
	possit irrigari	possit rigari
	est, quum sol ultimas	cũ sol ultimas (est om.)
	obtinebit	optinebit
	tune	om.
	fontium	fontiù (ntiù in erasure, in darker ink)
	pluviali	pluniatili

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Page 596		
$111. \S 10$	$_1$ illatam	inlatam
	suae spontis	suę sponte
	quatuor	quattuor
$\S 11$	curabimus	curanimus
	instituere	instruere
	convertemus	conuertamus
Page 597		
	et quum	sed cũ
	appropinquabit	adppinquabit
	solutissimae arenae	solutissime $\int_{Y} (\sqrt{arker})$ harenae
$\S 13$	vere conserere	conserere uere
	iniicietur	iniciet <sup>2</sup>
		$F. 116^{v}$ begins, manus ad
	prosequuntur	p secunt <sup>2</sup>
§ 14	quae ante sationem	ante sationé quae
Page 598	-	
	brassicae	brassica
	lactucae	laetuea
	chaerephylli	caeraefolii
	vel melius	uelius (us darker ; u del. by a darker dot abov the line, ius by a line)
§ 15	$\Lambda_{ m Ppnliae}$	apuliae
	sinapi	sinape
	digeramus	die(corr. to dig in darker ink)eramus
§ 16	lepidium	lepidñ
Page 599		
	allii et ulpici	alii ulpici
§ 17	nascatur	enascat <sup>2</sup>
	betae. quun	baete ( <i>somewhat darker</i> ) eù
$\S 18$	adhue	ad hoe
	per aestatem provenit	$puenit  p aest  ilde{u}^{ imes}$
	napi et siseris	napis (s erased) siseris
$\S 19$	iis	his
	intelligi	intellegi
\$20	quidam allium	quide aliũ
PAGE 600		
	ἀφροσκόροδον	ΑΦΡΟΟΚΟΡΔΟΝ
	allium	aliù
	habet enim	habet (one letter crased)   enim (e-darker, n ==-darker, corr. from on)

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PAGE 600		
$III, \S 20$	allium	alium
	cohaerentes spicas	spicas (one letter erased) (coh. om.)
	eaeque	eaeque (upper bar of first E retouched in darker ink)
	quum sint	cũ sunt
$\S~21$	lira	libra
C.	rustici	rustici rustici
	liaec	hoe (corr. to hee)
	disponendae	disponendi
	deinde quum	dein cũ
	spicae, sarriantur	spice ( <i>durker</i> ) sariant <sup>2</sup>
	superficiem	<pre>supticiem (top of p, and f, darker in erasure ;     first + retouched in darker ink)</pre>
Page 601 § 22		$F, 117^{R}$ begins, frigidis locis
U	allium	aliñ
	in iis locis	ut his horis
	quibus aut obruentur	${ m \dot{q}b} \cdot { m aut}  m ob(\mathit{darker} \ in \ erasure)$ ruentur
	nt	am.
	sic recondita	fere condita
	inodorare	odorari
$\S 23$	illita	inlita
Ū	involuta	iam.uoluta (a darker in erasure)
PAGE 602	<b>1</b>	- 1
$\S 24$	pluviis	pluuis
	sarrita Calen. Martiis	sarta kl martiis
		caules (above line darker)
	caules	facias (i in erasure of one letter)
$\S 25$	facias	
8 70	quot	$\operatorname{pomunt}^2$
	ponitur frigidis	frigidis (under d and after s, erasures; d and
	inguis	s retouched in darker ink)
	hieme	hiemẽ
	dispergitur. sed	dispangit <sup>2</sup> sed&
	sicque fit tenerioris	si quo tenerioris (s retouched in darker ink)
\$26	Sunt autem complura	sunt quae cõplura
~	seri	fieri
	earum quae fusei, et veluti	&eorū quę ( <i>darker</i> ) fusei & ut

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PAGE 603		
$111. \pm 26$	et veluti	& ut
	Caeciliana	eęciliana ( <i>darker</i> )
	disseritur	differtur
	At	ad (corr. to at in durker ink)
	folio	foli° ( <i>° darker</i> )
	et	est
\$ 27	Cyprii	eypri
•	Idus April.	idus octobres
Page 604	-	
	intybi, nisi	intubinusi
§ 28	sobolem	subole (corr. to sobole in darker ink)
e'	disponemur	disponimus
	plantam eirea Calend. Novemb.	planta eiusq . (eiusq · del. by darker line
		ante kl' nouembr
	stercorabinus	stereorauim <u></u>
§ 29	Sinapi	sinape
2 -0	emea	[ erucã
	oeimum	ocimum (~ later, darker)
PAGE 605	afferunt	adferunt
	disseritur	disserentur
e 20		s& (corr. to sed in darker ink)
§ 30	Sed	
0.01	quaternos	quattuor F. 117 <sup>*</sup> begins, in eo autem
§ 31		seruandū serendū est
	servandum est	omnis
	omnes	
	summas	sumas
Page 606		testiles (iles I when is encours)
	testulae	testilae (ilae darker. in erasure)
	adobruuntur	adobruntur (* <i>darker</i> )
§ 32	assidua sarritio	adsidua sartio
	alius	aliud
	sectivi, nisi	secti uin si (n corr. to ni in darker ink)
	toties	totiens
	sarririque	saririq;
	quoties	quotițens
	quo	qd
	complura	cŭ plura
	illigantur	inligant <sup>2</sup>
	ita	<i>om</i> .

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PAGE 606		
III. § 32	in iis potest	after debå
Č.	iis	his
	at	ad (corr. to at)
	transfertur	transferunt
\$ 33	[sed] praccipue	sed precipue
PAGE 607		1 1
	illiget	inliget
	releget	ligð
	pilo	palo
	expolitumque	expolituquae (corr. to expolitumque)
	[in]	om.
	obruet	obruat
§ 34	solstitium	solistitiũ
	teporem	tepore (corr. to tepore in darker ink)
	ocima	optima
PAGE 608		
	diligenter	diligaent
$\S 35$	atque	atquae (corr. to atque)
	inula	<sup>? ?</sup> nulla (corr. to inula in darker ink)
	alte	alto
	Inulam	<sup>1</sup> nulla (corr. to inula in darker ink)
	quoniam	quonã
	harundinis	harundis
	sarritionibus	sartionib;
Page 609		
$\frac{8}{36}$	vocant ίπποσέλινον, nonnulli	uoeant hipposelinon · TETPOCEAEINON
	σμύρινον	nonnulli ZMYPNAION ·
	submittas, aevo	sūmittas saeuo
	sarritionis	sartionis
	etiam	8
§ 37	ita	om.
	atque	X
$\{ 38 \$	satam	fată (corr. to sată in darker ink)
PAGE 610		
	aggerare	adgerare
	debebit	deb&
	perniciosa	pernitiosa (corr. to pernetiosa in darker ink)
	ignorantiam	ignorantiă ( <i>~ darker</i> )
	perungito	perungito. (o. darker. corr. from?)
	frutex	frutex (frute darker, where several letters had been erased)

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PAGE 610		man&
III. § 38	permanet	est in menstruis
	in menstruis est	
\$ 39	cunila, et serpyllum	F. 118 <sup>R</sup> begins, cunela serpyllum
	retuli	rettuli magis saluaria curanti <sup>b.</sup> ( <i>fourth</i> A and <sup>b</sup>
	magis alvearia curantibus	darker)
PAGE 611		
$\frac{1}{2}$ \$ 40	et semine	& se semine
	seruntur	seruatur
	thymi	thymi (t <i>durker</i> )
	quum	cum (corr. ?)
	depressae	depresse
	comprehendant	comprehendat
	pinsito	in illo
	quum succum	ะนิ รแะนิ
	fruticibus	fructibus
§ 41	cunila	ennela
3 **	impensius	inpenses
Page 612		
	post Cal. Novemb.	€ ( <i>erased</i> ) post kł nouembr
	sarritum	sartũ
$\S 42$	florente	flo(f and o darker, corr. from p and ?)r(re
U		touched in darker ink)enti
	foliorum	floriorũ (corr. to foliorũ in darker ink)
	hortus : ae	locus   at
	debebit. Chaerephyllum	debebunt chaerefilium
	άτράφαξυν	ΑΝΔΡΑΦΑΞΙΝ·
	semina	semine
	suaque de sede	suaque sede (corr. from -dae)
	partienda	patienda
Page 613		
	eandem habent	e(darker, corr. from ?)ande hab&
	chaerephyllum	cherephyllium
	άτράφαξυς	αυ ΔΡΑΦΑΖΙC·
§ 43	corrudam	corundã
,	praeparantur	preparantur
	solo	loco
	quadragesimum	quadragensimū
	implicantur	inplicantur
	illigatas	inligas

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PAGE 613		
III, § 4:	connexas olitores spongias	conexas holitores phongeas
	easque post quatuor	eas post quattuor
	madidum, stercoratumque	ualidū stercorosūque
PAGE 614		1
§ 44	dodrantalis	dodrantales
	spongiolae	$\dot{s}(del.)$ fongie
*	terra	terrae
	siecis	sice(c corr. from ?)is
	at	ad (corr. to at in darker ink)
	collocanda	eonlocanda
$\S 45$	emiserint, infringi	meminit tune infringi
~	vellere	uelleri ( <i>corr. to</i> uellere)
	adhuc teneris invalidisque	uix adhue teneris ualidis
	spongiola	sphongiola
	excaecant	m(erased)exce(_darker)cant
	patiuntur	paciuntur
Page 615	1	
	[est]	om.
	submittenda	sūmittenda
§ 46	consarriendi	F. 118 <sup>r</sup> begins, consariendi
0	iniiciendus	iniciendus
	succus	suens
	pluviis	pluuis
	commoveatur	eõmoueant <sup>2</sup>
	relaxata	relaxat <sup>a</sup> ( <sup>a</sup> darker)
	fiat	fiat radix
'AGE 616		
§ 47	haec ratio	hee ( <i>darker</i> ) satio
§ 48	loeo siceo	sieco loco
AGE 617		
	rigationem ministrare	rigatione ministrare
	aggerenda	adgerenda
	praebenda	prebenda
	enascantur	enascatur
	coeperint	ceperint
	coaequetur	coequ&
	praebebunt	prebebunt
§ 49	Calend. Mart.	kl mař
0	differri	differre
	aequinoctio confecto	confecto acquinoctio
	acquimento confecto	confrecto acquinoctio

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PAGE 618		
$111, \S 49$		posito (corr. to ponito in darker ink)
	quum exarnerint	cũ exar(ar darker in erasure)uerunt
$\{50\}$	At si esculentae	ac si esculentę ( <i>darker</i> )
	sumptum	suptū
	eaeteris	aeris
	locum	<i>om.</i>
	cueumeres	cucumeris
	consitae	consite ( <i>darker</i> )
	virentium	urentiù
	visu	uiso (corr. to uisu in darker ink)
	foetus	fetus
	necabit	nacauit (corr. to naecauit in darker ink)
$\S 51$	iueundissimus	iueundissimis
PAGE 619		
	obserat	offerat
	praebeat humorem	prebeat umorẽ
	afflatu	adflatu
	ac	a <sup>°</sup> ( <i>° darker</i> )
$\S 52$	subiici	subici
PAGE 620		
	integi debebunt, ut etiam	in integi debebuntur &iam
§ 53	istud	istut (corr. to istud in durker ink)
v	apud	aput
	Bolum Mendesium	uolumendesiũ
		F. 119 <sup>R</sup> begins, aprico &
	rubos	robos ( <i>corr. to</i> rubos)
	consitas	consitas (tas darker, in erasure)
	eas	ex
	paululum	paululo
	ligneo	li <sup>g</sup> neo ( <sup>g</sup> darker)
	ferulae	ferule ( <i>darker</i> )
	immittere	inmittere
	nam ita non	năque non
	sed	& (corr. to sed in darker ink)
	materna	macerata
	sieque	sic
PAGE 621		
\$ 54	provin    ciis	puinciis (corr. to puintiis in darker ink)
•	praedicti	pdicto   (corr. to pdicti   in darker ink)
	sint	sunt

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Page 621	1	
$HI, \S 55$	succoque	sucoque
	levissimo	nouissimo
PAGE 622		
	convalescit	convalescat
§ 56	ac	ά.
	deletis	dilectus
§ 57	aliquod	aliquid
	ad pulmentaria	at plumentaria (corr. to ad pulmentaria in darker ink)
	sarriri	sariri
	disponito	dispositio
	quum coeperint virere	cũ ceperint ninere
PAGE 623		
	consarrito :    deinde quum	inconseritodie indi(i erased)ecũ
§ 58	canteriolis	chateriolis
v	rigorem stilorum	rigorib; (one letter erased) stilorũ
	vineae crebras	uinea crebrę ( <i>, darker</i> )
	ceparum	caeparú
	prosternentur	psternuntur
	perarescat, aut	p harescat ut
$\{59\}$	quatuor sextarios	quattuor sestarios
	radicis Syriacae	radicisuri <sup>a</sup> cae ( <sup>a</sup> darker)
PAGE 624		
§ 60	pulex	pulix (corr. to pulex in darker ink)
	prorepentia	$\mathbf{\hat{p}}^{\mathrm{ru}}$ pentia ( $\mathbf{\hat{r}}^{\mathrm{ru}} darker$ )
	pulvis [etiam], qui	plus qui ( <sup>vi</sup> darker)
	cameram	earam (e darker in erasure)
AGE 625		
	invenitur	inuent <sup>2</sup> (corr. to inuenit <sup>2</sup> in darker ink)
	eonspergi	conspargi (corr. to conspargi in darker ink
	tota	tota (corr. from tota? by erosure)
	sueeum trahant	sueŭ trahat
	seruntur	obserentur
§ 61	quidam	quidē
	praecipiunt	precipunt (corr. to precipiunt in darker ink)
	sueco	suco
		$F. 119^v$ begins, remedio aduersus
	nos	non
	huius	eins

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Page 625		
$HI, \S 61$	minus larga est	larga non est
	fuligine et praedicto pulvere	fuligine & p <sup>*</sup> luere ( <i>* darker</i> )
$\S 62$	Hyginus	higinus
PAGE 626		
	fiunt	fiant
	quum	óm.
	soli	solui
	patitur	patiatur
	tentavimus : itaque rapum, et raphanum	tēptauimus itaque sieut rapharū
	servantque	seruari(space for one letter)q;
	Agricolae, qui quum	agrieolę ( <i>įdarker</i> ) qui eŭ
	nascantur	nascatur
§ 63	est, ne	est & ne
	satio	patio
	gelicidiis peruratur, arundinibus	gelicidi <sup>i</sup> purantur harundinibus
	canterii	eantheri [
	nuntur, et virgis stramenta	uirgę ( <i>darker</i> ) que & uirgis strañta supra
	supra	
	defenduntur	defendentur
	erucae, Graece	urucę ( <i>darker</i> ) grece
PAGE 627		
$\S 64$	sueco	suco
	erneae	uruce
	Sed	Sdd (corr. to Sed in darker ink)
	περὶ ἀντιπαθῶν	ΠΕΡΙΑΝΤΙΠΑΦΟΝ ·
	affirmat	ad firmat
	has	<pre>hos (corr. to has in darker ink; erasure above and below)</pre>
	enecari	<pre>senecari (s crased; first e partially retouched in darker ink)</pre>
§ 65	Before Hactenus	$rac{(in \ darker \ ink)}{}$
•.	quamvis instructum atque erudi-	quauis erudită omni opere rustico (omni darken
	tum omni opere rustico	in erasure; <sup>op</sup> darker)
	eaque sacpius	eaquae (corr. to eaque)
		(after faciendum sit, — liber primus, have continet s.c., s.c.; and in margin, — ana- cefaleosis)

#### NOTES ON VARIANTS IN A AND S FOR LIB. XI

(Most of the Variants require no comment: some of those in A are due to the peculiar Insular orthography; a few, however, are of sufficient interest for discussion.)

In the heading,  $\hat{lib}$  of A is obviously an incorrect expansion of L. in the archetype.

1. \$ 3. The *anno* of Schneider (and R?) seems derived from expansion of the abbreviation *an*. or *ann*. The numerals, too, were apparently abbreviated.

§ 5. The persistent omission of I in *Ischomachus*, in A and S, is probably to be explained by a false correction on the part of a seribe familiar with the introduction of a spurious vowel before S impura.

§ 10. *diffussa* S. The doubling of single consonants, and *vice versa*, is characteristic of Insular manuscripts, but, of course, not infrequent elsewhere.

§ 18. *languidior est* seems a correct emendation. The abbreviation  $\tilde{e}$  for *est* might easily have caused corruption to *languidicrẽ*. *ut udetudinari* seems harder to explain. Note the variants in Schneider's apparatus.

§ 24. istud seems correct. studium probably crept in from studium, two lines below.

II. § 3. Schneider's *Romani* is obviously correct. The curious qmani A and promani S may be due to the PR of principem, two words before.

§ 4 etc. The obviously corrupt sep etc. of S is evidently due to expansion of  $\bar{ss}$ , the abbreviation for suprascriptus, -*i*, etc., which is used regularly in A and S to avoid the repetition of *Jan., Febr.*, etc. (I have not thought it necessary to note each instance separately.) Suprascriptus, -*i*, etc., should apparently be read in all such places, instead of Schneider's *Jan., Febr.*, etc.

§ 9. If Schneider's verneculum is correct, the change RN > NN in AS is explainable by the form of R in Insular (and some Half-Uncial) hands, where it approaches that of N; but perhaps the conjecture venuculum (vennuculum?) is right.

§ 16. ptea S seems to be derived from ptea = postea.

§ 22. Kalendus A is due to et Idus following.

§ 23. The impossible *utiquenti* is due to *sequentis* preceding.

§ 29. converige S. Here, too, it would seem that the original of S had a form of R which could easily be confused with N. Cf. II, § 40, nonandae S; III, § 62, raphar $\tilde{u}$  S.

§ 69. properiodum Schneider, pretermodum S. An abbreviation seems to have caused the variation.

III. § 27. The context requires Schneider's April.; the octobres of S must be due to conjectural emendation.

An examination of the apparatus which I publish here, and of that in Lundström's editions of the *Liber de Arboribus* and *De R. R. Lib. X*, shows that A and S are derived from the same archetype, and are very closely related. It is somewhat more difficult to say what is the relation of R (the later manuscript's) to A and S. A glance at Lundström's apparatus shows that when A and S differ, R and A regularly agree. Almost all the variants from A in R can easily be explained as due to conjectural

emendations. That many of these readings are obviously correct should not lead one to postulate a lost archetype for R. Such a supposition would result in a logical contradiction, as we should have in R, on the one hand, the peculiar readings of A, and, on the other, a class of correct readings of passages which are incorrectly given in A the former explicable on the supposition of the derivation of R from A, and the latter incompatible with that supposition.

There are, however, two problems still to be solved before the subject of the manuscript tradition of Columella can be considered perfectly clear. (i) The later manuscripts fill up many *lucunae* which are left in A and S. Whether the passages supplied are simply the work of the Humanistic editors and scribes, presumably using other portions of Columella and the other agricultural writers for their purpose, or whether a genuine tradition, independent of A and S, is to be recognized here, could be settled by a thorough collation of the manuscripts for the passages in question, and a careful investigation of the results. (ii) There are certain passages<sup>1</sup> where, in Lundström's apparatus. A and S give an entirely wrong reading, but some of the later manuscripts give an only *partially* corrupt reading, the correct reading not appearing at all in the manuscripts. In these cases, since the emendation of a scribe can hardly explain the *partially* corrupt reading, one thinks naturally of the possibility of an independent tradition. These cases.<sup>2</sup> however, are very few, and it may be possible to explain them on some other basis. Accordingly, an investigation of the rest of Columella, in all the manuscripts, or at any rate in A, S, and the most important representatives of R, with reference to such passages also, is to be desired,

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<sup>1</sup> As Professor Vollmer of Munich pointed out to me.

<sup>2</sup> The passages in question, as far as I have observed them, are :

De Arboribus (ed. Lundström), p. 22, l. 2 (aulidas); p. 32, l. 14 (sed dispari loco pro differentia agri); Dr R. R. Lib. X. 288 (Phoebe); 378 (trichilis).

<sup>3</sup> As this article is about to go to press, Professor Traube informs me that he at present considers probable the former existence of a *theird* early manuscript of Columella; this was, perhaps, the source of the later Italian manuscripts, and, like the Ambrosianus, was at Fulda. It is to be hoped that Professor Traube himself will publish a fuller statement of this view, with the grounds for adopting it.

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### THE DATE OF THE ELECTION OF JULIAN

THE sentiments that Constantius and Julian entertained for one another during the latter part of Constantius's reign are very well described by Julian's own word, λυκοφιλία, "a friendship of wolves" (Ep. 68; Hertlein, p. 591). The truce between the distrustful cousins could not last, and their relations reached the breaking-point The final trouble began with the arrival at Julian's winter in the year 360 A.D. quarters at Paris of an order from Constantius, directing him to send East immediately some of his best troops, to serve in the spring campaign against the Persians.<sup>1</sup> This mandate was regarded with suspicion by Julian's party, who saw in it a device for drawing away their champion's forces, and they refused to regard the need of reënforcements as anything but a pretext. The prospect of a long march and a hard campaign in the East brought the discontent of the soldiers to a head; they rose, and proclaimed Julian Augustus. After protesting ineffectually, Julian accepted the situation and sent ambassadors to Constantius to tell him what had happened and to urge him to indorse the decision of the soldiery. Whereupon the Augustus sent back word to Julian to content himself with the rank of Caesar, "tumenti flatu deposito."<sup>2</sup> Julian spent the summer campaigning in Germany, wintered at Vienne, and the next year took the field against Constantius.

The chronology of these events, so far as the sources lead us, is as follows. The first message of Constantius arrived in Paris about the end of winter; for Ammianus says that the troops were to be despatched at once, "ut adesse possint armis primo vere movendis in Parthos."<sup>3</sup> But it was after Lupicinus had been despatched against the Piets and Scots, who were invading Britain; for the messengers bore orders which would have prevented his expedition if they had arrived before his departure.<sup>4</sup> Lupicinus assembled his troops at Boulogne, "adulta hieme."<sup>5</sup> After Julian had sent his message to Constantius announcing the revolt.<sup>6</sup> and had received his answer, he set out

<sup>1</sup> Ammianus Marcellinus, XX, 4, 1,

<sup>3</sup> *Ibid.* XX, 4, 2. Gibbon accuses Ammianus of inaccuracy in this passage; but Bury points out, in his edition of Gibbon, that Ammianus means that the troops were to be mustered in Italy "primo vere," not in the East (vol. II, p. 537).

<sup>4</sup> Ibid. XX, 4, 3.

<sup>5</sup> Ibid. XX, I, 3.

<sup>2</sup> Ibid. XX, 9, 4.

<sup>6</sup> This embassy of Julian's was much delayed. It finally found Constantius at Caesarea in Cappadocia, at what time of year we cannot be sure, but doubtless on his way from Constantinople to Edessa. He remained a long time at Edessa, only leaving for Amida after the autumnal equinox (Amm. Marc. XX, 11. 4). With only this one point of time to work from, it is evident that Constantius's movements can help us very little.

on his German campaign.<sup>1</sup> This lasted three months.<sup>2</sup> after which he went into winter quarters at Vienne.<sup>3</sup> He was at Vienne at least as early as November 5; for he celebrated his quinquennalia as Caesar in that city, and his Caesarship dated from November 6, 355.<sup>4</sup> He gave the games as Augustus, which shows that he already called himself by the greater title, in spite of the veto of Constantius.

It is clear that the data given above do not enable us to fix exactly the time of Julian's proclamation by the soldiery, and the date has consequently been always a matter of conjecture. Paul Allard, the latest historian of Julian, does not attempt to fix the date, merely repeating the more important conjectures.

" La date tout à fait précise," he says, " ne peut être indiquée avec certitude. Tillemont (*Hist. des Empereurs*, t. IV, p. 452) place les faits en mars ou avril; M. de Broglie (*L'Eglise et l'Empire romain*, t. IV, p. 79) les met aux premiers jours de mars; Schwarz (*De vita et scriptis Juliani imperatoris*, p. 7 et 17) s'appuie sur la *Chrono*graphie de Léon le Grammairien pour proposer mai." <sup>5</sup>

The few hints which we get from the sources seem at first to point to the end of winter or early spring. Julian was in winter quarters (Amm. Marc. XX, 8, 2), and the orders of Constantins arrived at least as early as the end of winter. But that Julian was in winter quarters might mean either winter or spring, as the army in Gaul did not usually move out to its annual campaign before July;<sup>6</sup> and there might have been a long interval between the arrival of Constantius's orders and the outbreak among the troops. Some time did elapse, in fact, between the two events, since in the interval the tribune Lintula levied a small body of light troops and departed for the East (XX, 4, 5), and Julian sent letters to his master-of-horse at Vienne and received answers to them (XX, 4). These considerations are enough to show that a later date has quite as much in favor of it as an early one; and the evidence collected by Schwarz, on p. 17 of his dissertation, turns the scale in favor of the later date; he cites the remark of Ammianus, which was quoted before, to the effect that the Gallic campaigns usually commenced in July. He points out that while, in response to Constantius's orders, a part of the troops he asked for had set out (the light-armed body under Lintula), the rest had not yet gone — which seems to point to a delay. A late date is also indicated by the words in XX, 4, 11, "Parisiis morabatur adhue Caesar nusquam motus." Lastly and decisively, he eites the testimony of Leo Grammaticus: 'IovXiavòs ό παραβάτης έβασίλευσεν έτη δύο, Καίσαρ δὲ γέγονεν ἔτη τέσσαρα καὶ μῆνας ἕξ, κτλ.፣ Since Julian was made Caesar on the 6th of November, 355, Schwarz concludes that his election must have occurred at the beginning of May, 360.

The later date is confirmed in a rather remarkable way by the inscription which is given below. It was reported by Patroni in the *Notizie degli Seavi*, 1901, p. 18, with

<sup>1</sup> Amm. Marc. XX, 10, 1. <sup>2</sup> Julian, *Ep.* 38; Hertlein, p. 535. <sup>8</sup> Amm. Marc. XX, 10, 3.

 $^4$  Ibid. XX1, 1, 4. For the date of his Caesarship, see Socrates, II, 34; Idatius, under "Arbetione et Lolliano"; Amm. Marc. XV, 8, 17,

<sup>5</sup> Paul Allard, *Julien P. Apostat* (Paris, 1900). I. p. 496, note (7). Schwarz's monograph was published at Bonn in 1888. Tillemont says only : "Personne n'en marque le jour : mais ce qui précéde et ce qui suit nous porte a croire que ce fut vers le mois de mars on d'avril. L'on estoit encore en quartier d'hiver." I have not seen De Broglie's work.

<sup>6</sup> Amm. Mare. XVII, 8, 1; Schwarz, op. cit. p. 17.

<sup>7</sup> Bekker, p. 92 (Bonn Corpus).

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the following note: "Nei pressi di S. Maria Capua Vetere, corrispondente com' è noto al sito dell'antica Capua, in contrada Quattordici Ponti, fu rinvenuta l'epigrafe latina che traserivo qui appresso. È incisa in una sottile lastra marmorea, la cui superficie, oltremodo consunta, si sgrana con facilità, larga m. 0.46 per 0.74 di altezza, con foro circolare in alto . . . La lettura di alcune parole rimane disperata ovvero incerta, sopra tutto nella parte superiore."<sup>1</sup> In the copy which follows, the ligatures and irregular shapes of letters in Petroni's copy are not reproduced. The part of the inscription which concerns us, of course, is the date in the last four lines.

XS Ω min " in an Millikharn The Mar A. 1. 1. 4. 1. 1. A DESIDERIO VIRO PRAECL DVLCEDINI SVPREMAE LETI AV (sic) VSCIDIAE QVINTAE QVAE VIXIT ANNIS XXV MV DXV MVRRIVS *n*VMIDIVS CVI IVNCTA FVIT ANNIS VIIII MIII DXXV CVM QVa QVIETEM PARAVIt ETIAM SIBI DEP V KAL IVL DD NN CO NSTANTIO AVG Х ЕΤ IVLIANO CAES + + +С S S Ο Ν

To understand the bearing which the date in the last four lines of the inscription has upon the election of Julian, it is necessary to realize how faithfully the Christian inscriptions reflected the political vicissitudes of this period. G. B. De Rossi was the first to show this relation in its full extent; and there are few pages in the literature of Latin epigraphy more interesting than his commentaries in the first volume of the *Inscriptiones Christianae Urbis Romae*, in which he traces the varying fortunes of emperor and usurper in the distorted consular formulae. During the brief reigns of Magnus Maximus and Eugenius, for example, the names of the legitimate consuls were carefully replaced on the inscriptions by those of the usurpers or their nominees. Every political upheaval that distracted the West has left its mark on the epitaphs. Nothing could bring before our minds so vividly the dread which the laws against lese-majesty and the far-reaching power of the later Roman bureaucracy had instilled into the minds of all classes of men than these slavish alterations of the consular formulae.

The inscriptions of 360 are no exception to the rule. The whole series of western stones can be divided at once into an earlier and later class; those of the first part of the year being dated by the normal formula, *Constantio Aug X et Iuliano Caes. III* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the vicinity of S. Maria Capua Vetere, which, as is well known, corresponds to the site of ancient Capua, was found the Latin inscription which I have here transcribed. It is cut on a thin slab of marble, the surface of which is much worn and crumbles easily. It is 0.46 m, wide by 0.74 m, high, and has a circular hole at the top. The reading of some of the letters is impossible or uncertain, particularly in the upper part.

conss., while in the second class, of the latter half of the year, the formula is in some way altered. Of the earlier class we have examples in a Roman inscription of the end of April (De Rossi, Inser. I, no. 142); an inscription of the cemetery of Domitilla (SS. Nereo ed Achilleo), of the 6th of May, [dd] nn  $\cdot$  constantio aug  $\cdot X \mid [e]t$  iul(iano)  $\cdot$ III consisted deperfine (sie)  $\mid [n]$  on mains ind(ins) araba  $\mid$  sinus qui vixit an  $\mid n \cdot XI$  in pure : 1 and probably a fragment from S. Agnese (Armellini, S. Agnese, p. 383), dated [Const]antio any X et iu[liano caes III conss]. In the latter half of the year, as was said before, the formula was modified. An inscription of Rome, of the 17th and 19th of August, omits Julian's name entirely (De Rossi, Inser. I, no. 143): parentes dionysio filio dul cissimo · vir · an · V · m · VII d VIIII · dp · | XVI kal · sept · constantio X · cos · in p | a 🛠 ω | dulcissimo filie crotianeti · vix · | ann · V · m VII · d XI dep XIIII · kal . sep + | constantio X cos · in pac. De Rossi supposes that while, in the middle of August, the proclamation of Julian by the Gallic soldiery was known in Rome, it was still uneertain whether Constantius would declare him a rebel, or allow him to retain his rank of Caesar — as he eventually did; hence the omission of Julian's name and title. Whatever may be the immediate reason for it, the strange omission was certainly due to the arrival of the news from Paris and to the uncertainty as to Julian's future fortunes thereby produced. So also in an epitaph which comes, like our inscription, from Capua, dated October (C.I.L. X, 4485), we find the formula dd nn (dominis nostris) X et III cos. Whether this peculiar abbreviation of the regular phrase is a device to avoid the titles, — since Julian elaimed that of Augustus (as early, at least, as November 5), and Constantius did not recognize his right to it, — or a means of leaving out Julian's name without offending his party, cannot be said. It shows, however, how people were trimming to please a nominal master in the East and a prospective one in the West. The same formula is found in a Syraeusan inscription (Kaibel, 112) dated  $\square$  PO E KAA |  $\triangle$  EKEMB YTTATIA | TWN KY ( $\rho i \omega r$ ) TO I KAI TO F, V kal. Decembres consulatu dominorum nostrorum decies et ter.

These modifications of the formula, then, are found to be all posterior to the election of Julian and to be caused by that event. Now the *latest* of the earlier inscriptions with the unchanged formula is our inscription from Capua reproduced above. Since the other inscriptions posterior to the election of Julian have the formula changed, without exception, we are justified in assuming that this formula shows that on the 27th of June, the day noted in the fourth line from the bottom, the news of the disturbance in Gaul had not yet reached Capua. We know that on the 17th of August, the date of the inscription which omits Julian's name, it had already got to Rome. We may say, then, that the tidings arrived in Capua and Rome at some time or times within the period roughly determined by these two dates. Even allowing for delay, which is not likely in the ease of news, and granting time for the news to work on the public mind, we certainly cannot put the election of Julian earlier than May: and the latter part of May is indicated, rather than the beginning, where Schwarz places the event. The year and six months of Leo Grammaticus need not trouble us; for he

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Marucchi, Nuovo Bull, di Arch. crist. 1899, p. 27. The omission of Julian's title Caes, after his name is scarcely significant; the second title being sometimes omitted to save space, which is plainly the case here, as we may see from the abbreviations Iul(iano) and Iul(ias).

would have said the same, whatever the day of May on which the election occurred. He is a dealer in round numbers, as we see from his giving two years to the reign of Julian, although the time from the death of Constantius to the death of Julian was less than a year and eight months. Some time elapsed between the revolt and the beginning of the German campaign, since, in the interval, Julian's embassy, which was delayed, reached Constantius, and Constantius's letters in return were received and read to the soldiers in Paris (Amm. Marc. XX, 9). But time enough is left for this exchange of letters and the three-months German campaign before we find Julian in his winter quarters at Vienne on November 5.

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### REPORT ON ARCHAEOLOGICAL REMAINS IN TURKESTAN

THE discoveries of archaeological remains made during recent years in Crete, Egypt, and Mesopotamia have carried our knowledge of the early stages of the development of human activity in Western Europe back to a period far beyond what was known or even suspected a generation ago. Much of the new material thus found is of substance and style so rude as to be of instant interest only to the specialist; but there is also much, as, for instance, the objects from Crete, that possesses a charm of style that is apt to claim the whole attention of the student, blinding him to the larger interests that all this material, the rude as well as the artistic, contain, --- interests, that is, connected with the intercommunication and relations of the earliest known tribes and races that later developed into the historical peoples of Europe. The great importance of the study of these matters lies in the fact that they offer the direct, though often indistinct, path to a complete comprehension of the various classical civilizations upon which so much of our modern education is founded. It is not enough to know that such or such were the works of a people at some given epoch, but the true archaeologist, as distinguished from the student of bric-a-brac, must know what were the sources whence came the influences that led to the formation of the people's ideals. Only through this knowledge is the educational value of archaeology attained; and archaeology becomes of exactly as much importance as history, political economy, philosophy, or any other of the subjects commonly granted to be of superior importance in the training of the educated classes. In fact, arehaeology is intimately connected with these studies. It is owing to the growing recognition of the claims of archaeology that the discoveries in Egypt and Mesopotamia have attracted such widespread interest. The work of Schliemann and his successors led the student of Greece to Asia Minor and Egypt. The discoveries of Layard and his followers and the translation of the cuneiform inscriptions showed clearly the existence of intimate and character-moulding relations between Egypt and Asia Minor and the lands that are now Persia. From each and all of these discoveries one fact becomes perfectly clear, and that is that in no part of the world has a people developed to a high standard by itself and by its own energies. Everywhere it has become evident that each people and country had a "Hinterland," a back country, to which the student must push his way, and the way leads steadily east. Somewhere there will be found one of those foei, one of those starting-posts in the march of human development whence all our special study of particular countries or epochs must start, if our deductions are to have the value of historic truth, on which, perhaps, later may be based the equal value of imaginative possibility.

It was in the hope of finding traces, more distinct than are described in the scanty literature on the subject, of the civilizations that were contemporary with and necessary to the earliest developments in Mesopotamia, that I passed some months of the summer of 1903 in the Russian provinces of Western Central Asia.<sup>1</sup> The reasons for seeking in the country east of Mesopotamia for the remains of early civilization are of several different sorts. Geography alone would tend strongly to prove that cities such as Ur, Babylon, or Nineveh were dependent for their growth and power on some circumstances other than were to be found in the immediate neighborhood. The lack of mines or quarries near at hand and the forbidding deserts on either side of the country were sufficient eauses to prevent any purely self-contained development there in early times. What did lead to the development of these cities was shown by the map, suggested by ancient writers, and proved by the inscriptions dug up in later years. These tablets, found by the thousand, show that whether at Ur or Nineveh, whether to the north or south, whether early or late, the chief activities of the Mesopotamians were directed (as those of any other great power) in channels of commerce. The lists of tribute, the laws of contract and banking, the development of astronomy, all show this. In fact, the valleys of the Euphrates and Tigris became the seats of powerful races because it was in these valleys that the tracks followed by the merchants trading from east and west crossed. These valleys had few natural resources, comparatively speaking, but they were the natural places for mereliants coming from Orient or Occident to meet. They were market-places, and grew rich on the business brought by the meeting of the various caravans and on the resulting commissions. In a general way it is known what were the articles brought from east and west. One of the most important of those from the west was metal, such as  $tin^2$  and bronze, much of the latter coming probably from the Sinaitic peninsula. From the east then, as now, eame articles of luxury, - silks, embroideries, jewels, spices, scents, used originally in religious rites, - and later, with the growth of wealth, the consumption of these articles increased with their use by individuals, until the extravagant waste of them in the time of the Roman empire. Thus it was that Mesopotamia grew rich, powerful, and influential in the history of the world, because there were peoples on each side of her who had developed to such degree that they desired to exchange their products for those from elsewhere. On the west the chief people were the Egyptians, and the date of their rise to the position of a power was some time about four thousand years before Christ. That they were a numerous race before that is known by antiquities dug up recently: but those that can be dated before 4000 n.c. seem but little affected by knowledge of the outside

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> My thanks are due to the Managing Committee of the American School of Classical Studies in Rome for permitting me to leave Italy a few weeks before the official closing of the School. Furthermore, had it not been for the generous assistance of James Loeb, Esq., the trip could not have been undertaken. My plans were already made when I was asked by Professor Raphael Pumpelly to join a party led by him, which was being sent to the same country by the Carnegie Institution. This I was very glad, for practical reasons, to do, and now that the trip is over, to the practical reasons I add many others based on help and friendship shown me by him. I owe him much.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tin mines are reported to exist in Afghanistan.

world. It is quite likely, as Adams suggests,<sup>1</sup> that the first foreign relations acquired by Egypt were a direct result of the taking and working of the copper mines of Sinai by Sneferu, the predecessor of Cheops. While the history of Egypt, even in such early periods as this, is fairly well known and is becoming year by year more so, the same cannot be said of the races that were at the eastern end of the balance of which Mesopotamia was the fulcrum. A glance at the map shows, however, where they are to be sought. Just as Babylon was separated from Egypt by the difficult country of Arabia, so did the deserts divide Persia from the jewel mines of the mountains beyond which lay the luxury-producing lands of India and China. These mountains, stretching from the wastes of Siberia on the north to the desolate stretches of Beluchistan on the south, have always formed a very serious barrier between India and China and Western Europe. Hence the region in which to search for the cities that formed the balance to Egypt is on the western side of the mountains below those passes over which Chinese and Indian goods were carried and where naturally caravans would have been made up and where traders met at a common market. This supposition, based on geography and a knowledge of human nature, is borne out by tradition; for at just such a place on the northwestern borders of Afghanistan was Balkh, the capital of Bactria, a city famous as far back as the earliest written history, and known now as the "Mother of Cities." It must be remembered that a traditional title of this sort is apt to be one of the very oldest things handed down to us from the forgotten Another reason for studying the country east of the Caspian was that the Past. reports  $^{2}$  of travellers and the maps of the Russian government showed that at many places there were extensive ruins. At Merv and at Balkh these ruins spread over many miles of territory; and while elsewhere they did not seem to be of so great extent, they are certainly very numerous, and spread out from the mountain passes and down the rivers toward the west in a way that is easily intelligible, but that, taken in connection with the other considerations of geography and history above referred to, is exciting and suggestive to the mind of the archaeologist. Judging from the map and from history, these places, while perhaps many of them are contemporary in their larger developments, will show different archaeological conditions. The valley of Ferghana, even now famous for its fertility and plentiful water supply, has, as is natural, traces of a more scattered population and sites of a less extent than one finds on the Murghab River. There, shut off from the outer world by a dangerous desert. Merv grew up in solitary grandeur, and doubtless displayed a civilization and arts rather less affected by foreign influence than Balkh or Samarcand. But, of course, excavation alone can prove the justness of this theory. Balkh was of chief importance also because of the many trade routes that met at her gates and her consequent importance as a centre of exchange. But she was manifestly less susceptible to foreign influence, and so her remains, if they are ever brought to light, will perhaps be less simple to understand and less clear in the evidence they give of the early civilization of this region than those of Mery.

In this regard Samarcand resembles Balkh; there we have actual evidence of

<sup>1</sup> The New Empire, p. 4.

<sup>2</sup> For example, O'Donovan's Merv and Ferrier's Travels,

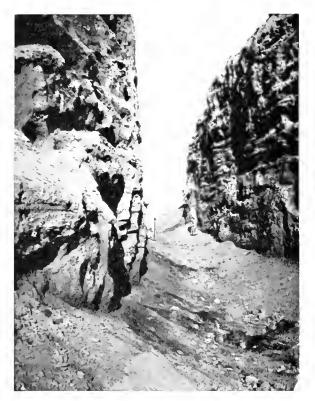
things to give force to the general proposition, for terra-cottas and other works, to be described later, show that at least later she was very much influenced by the Greeks; and if later by one race, why not earlier by others? But Samarcand, on the Serafshan River, brings another fact before us. It is that, as was natural in this land of desert and waste mountain land, the vast majority of the remains are to be sought along the river banks. Wherever we went on our journey along the rivers, we were hardly out of sight of ruins at any time, — some greater and some smaller, but almost all of a character to suggest high antiquity.

In regard to future work, one point is noteworthy. It is that on the rivers, at a considerable distance below the modern towns, are visible the ruins of the ancient cities. Not that the large mass of ruins at Merv or at Samarcand are at any great distance from the modern cities, but that lower down the course of the stream than are these obvious remains are others of no mean proportions. The reason that they are lower, that larger and probably more recent remains are higher up, and that the modern towns are in turn higher still, is that the rivers carry less water than they did. and so their influence is not felt so far into the desert as it once was. The lack of water is due. Professor Pumpelly tells me, probably to the wearing down of the tops of the mountains, which catch the snow that forms the rivers, and the tilting up of the earth's crust from north to south in this region, which causes a diminution of force in the current of the stream and consequent greater evaporation along the higher reaches. This geologic process can, however, hardly be the explanation of the archaeological phenomenon noted. That is due probably, as Dr. Hogarth suggests to me, to the desire of the founders of new cities to avoid the ghosts and traditions of their -Thepredecessors and to get the first draw of the river water for their new gardens. importance of this archaeologically is that when excavations are carried out, the mounds and ruins of less imposing appearance, the ones that are farther down the rivers and deeper in the present desert, ought to be ransacked, and may be expected to give up to us antiquities of greater age than the ruins nearer the modern cities.

In regard to the remains that have been found in past years and published, not much can be said. A small amount of more or less careful digging has been done, but the results have either not been published at all, or else in books and journals that are almost as difficult to get possession of as the antiquities themselves. The person who seems to have done the most was General Komaroff, but it seems probable, from what I was told, that his work was not of a very scientific character.<sup>1</sup> Other diggings, or rather scratchings, that I will speak of later, were made at Samarcaud, but the diggers seem to have stopped long before they got to a level at which there could be reasonable expectation of finding anything important. They were stopped by what, certainly at Samarcaud and probably elsewhere, will be one of the chief difficulties of the future excavators, and that is the immense amount of dirt that must be moved before the interesting and repaying levels are reached. This, however, is one of the frequent trials of the excavator, — to be overcome by a slight amount of persistence and money. Of antiquities themselves found in this region the most easily accessible

<sup>1</sup> See Petermann's Mittheilungen, 1889, p. 159.

collection is the so-called "Treasure of the Oxus" in the British Museum. These objects are mostly bracelets, rings, figurines, and ornamental sheets of gold, and are published in *Les Antiquités de la Russie Méridionale*, figs. 298–300, by Reinach, Kondakof, and Tolstoi. Interesting as these objects are, they are of late date, and do not earry us back to the earlier times, when, if not so rich, this region was unquestionably



FUGURE 1.- TRENCH CUT IN KURGAN AT ANAU

powerful and growing. It is not surprising — in fact, it is to be expected known as eoming from the Transcaspian country, should not be of any great age. They have been found either by chance or by excavations that were neither very deep nor elaborate; and in this land of vast and wind-blown wastes the excavations that will bring to light the work and records of the earliest dwellers will have to be carried to uncommon depths. The history of the excavations by Schliemann and Dörpfeld at Troy affords good and familiar examples to illustrate the kind of work that the meteorological conditions of the Transeaspian will enforce.

Up to this point I have dealt largely with the general and abstract reasons which made it worth while to undertake a journey to these countries. By themselves it seems as though they would be sufficient to induce any archaeologist or archaeological soci-

ety to undertake the work of thorough exploration, but additional reasons, drawn from observation on the spot, can be adduced.

The ruins of which I am about to speak are all east of the Caspian, but whoever pursues further investigation there ought to be familiar with what has been found in the Caucasus, much of which is now in the excellent museum at Tiflis.<sup>1</sup> The remains in Turkestan bear a certain external resemblance to those of Mesopotamia. That is, there is visible little or nothing of stone, but where the towns once were are now great mounds formed by the collapse and weathering of sun-dried brick. These mounds, or *kurgans*, to use the native word, are found over the whole country, from the shores of the Caspian to the valley of Ferghana—wherever there was water.<sup>2</sup> To the south

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Die Sammlungen des Kaukasischen Museums, Bd. V.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Naturally, they are non-existent in the pure desert. Their great number suggests that a careful map of them might throw light on the former course of the Oxus and the extent of the Caspian and Aral seas.

they are seen along the river Atrek; and at Gumbet-Kobous, some fifty versts south of Tschalui, are the extensive ruins of a city reported to be of Alexander's time, — the same report one hears of every ruin,<sup>1</sup>— while about 40 versts east of Tschalui are other ruins. Neither of these groups did I see, nor others that are found to the north along the Oxus, between Khiva and Chardjui. The first important  $kurgan^2$  that I had a chance to study was at Anau, a few miles east of Aschabad (Figs. 1, 2). This rather regularly conical mound, of perhaps 80 yards diameter, has had a trench dug through it from side to side. This trench was not sunk anything like deep enough to show the lowest parts of the kurgan, but its sides showed very distinctly a regular stratification, layers of ashes alternating with layers of earth, though the strata did not reach always across the whole mound. In two places near the top were possible traces of walls of



FIGURE 2. - KURGAN AT ANAU

sun-dried brick. In the sides of the trench were many bones of animals and bits of pottery, and some almost perfect large, coarse vases, or jars.<sup>3</sup> The bits of pottery were of red or black surface, unornamented, with the exception of a few pieces that showed roughly painted scrawls, but were so broken that it is impossible to say to what class they belong. None showed any slip. The larger jars seem to have been roughly hemispherical, to have had covers, to be  $\frac{1}{3}$  or  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, and were made of a yellowish, imperfectly baked clay, with painted decoration on the outside. This

<sup>1</sup> For the ruins on the Atrek and the Giorgen, see Vambéry, Travels in Central Asia, pp. 52, 54.

<sup>2</sup> The traveller needs to take care that he is led on no wild-goose chase by the free way the word *kurgan* is used in Turkestan. It seems to be applied to any mound the origin or use of which is not clear enough to suggest a more distinctive name, and bears no reference to date, size, or inner character. From inquiry and study of the excellent Russian maps it is plain that the *kurgans* of archaeological interest are to be found along all the river valleys.

<sup>3</sup> Some of the bones gathered here and elsewhere were taken home by Professor Pumpelly for classification.



FIGURE 3. - RUINS AT MERV



FIGURE 4, - RUINS AT MERV

decoration, of brown color, seemed to be of plain lines and stripes, or of bands with a kind of saw-tooth projection at irregular intervals which was not dissimilar to pottery made by some of the Indians in North and South Carolina. I saw none of these jars in the upper strata of the mound. They seemed to be in the middle, and from the close proximity of bones to some of them and the presence of ashes it seems that perhaps they were used for burial or sacrificial purposes.<sup>1</sup> No traces of metal, either of weapons or tools, were to be found, and only one bit of worked stone — a pebble some 8 inches in diameter, roughly flattened on two sides and rounded about the edges, with a hole bored through it. The lack of stone implements is one of the most noticeable archaeological phenomena of the country. In none of the museums that are being started nor in any private collection did I see any.



FIGURE 5. - RUINS AT MERV

Doubtless this is in part due to the fact that collectors, authorized or unauthorized, have been, up to the present, mainly concerned with the search for more exciting things than objects of stone; and even when such things as corn-crushers are pointed out or taken to the authorities, they show little or no interest in them. Though little of manifest importance could be found in this mound at Anau, more than sufficient came to light to show that such mounds are worthy of very careful exploration. Besides searching for their contents, the relation of their strata to their outer surface and the relation of the bottom to the surrounding plain ought to be studied,

<sup>1</sup> A serious difficulty is met in explaining the contents of these kurquas, for some of them have been used in recent times by the natives for burial or dwelling places. I noticed this at Margellan and Samarcand. Models in the Tiflis Museum of certain kurquas in the Caucasus show that in some cases bodies were buried in them and animals sacrificed at the same time.



FIGURE 6. - RUINS AT MERV



FIGURE 7. - AFROSLAB FROM SOUTH

as affording evidence of the original shape and size, the amount they have weathered, and their age.<sup>1</sup>

Near by this *kurgan* are the crumbling walls of a town deserted some hundred years ago because of the drying up of the water-supply. Among the houses is still standing a very beautiful façade of a madrassy: but the chief interest of the place is afforded by the evidence it gives of the rate of destruction of buildings of sun-dried brick when they are wasted merely by the hand of nature. The town of Baikent<sup>2</sup> in the desert west of Bokhara, a town that was flourishing a thousand years ago, but was destroyed soon after, affords further evidence on the same point (Figs. 22, 23).

Beyond Anau one comes to Merv, where is the largest and most important group of ruins that we saw (Figs. 3-6). They eover many square miles, and have been care-



FIGURE 8, - NORTH WALL OF AFROSIAB, LOOKING WEST ALONG RIVER

fully mapped by the authorities of the Czar's estate, which is near by. They fall into four groups, the Mohammedan, the so-called Alexandrian, the pre-Alexandrian, and then, separated by some miles from these three connected groups, are some very large mounds. Without digging, little can be said of the nature of the runns. Lines of walls are perfectly evident, and in many of the crumbled heaps evidences of the sun-dried brick of which they were built are clearly seen. There was only one small excavator's trench that could be explored, and this was in a little mound in the oldest runns. Pottery was visible in it, but nothing else. The finds of coins and gems of the Graeco-Persian and Alexandrian epochs made by the local antiquaries show

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the general question of *kurgans* and their contents, cf. Schuyler's *Turkestan*, I, pp. 67, 68; Vambéry, *Travels in Central Asia*, pp. 56, 71.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Near the railway station of Iakkatnt.

that excavation here would afford a rich yield, and with so much of these epochs and with such an exceptionally large field of ruins and *kurgans* it cannot be doubted that this site is one of the most important for the investigation of the problems of the prehistoric archaeology of this country. It is not unlikely that the large mounds to the north of the chief mass of ruins will yield objects as important as anything to be found elsewhere; for they are evidently the remains of large settle-



FIGURE 9.—GATE (?) OF SUNDRIED BRICK ON NORTH SIDE OF AFRONIAB

ments, and are lower down the course of the Murghab River, where the water used to flow before it lost itself in the desert sand, but no longer offers an oasis for cultivation. Other mound walls exist to the southeast, where, at a distance of about 50 versts, is a space some 10 versts long by 2 broad, surrounded by a ridge and crossed by two others, and having *kurgans* at most of the angles. From the lower end of the rectangle a long ridge projects about 20 versts southeast.

Between Merv and Bokhara mounds are not common, though near Charjui, on the Oxus, are some large ones, and they are reported to be numerous. This was to be expected, for this is the waterway that leads from Balkh. Just north of Balkh, at Termes, where the road to Bokhara and Samarcand crosses the river, are considerable and important ruins; but as this is one of the Russian

outposts, which one must have a special permit to visit, I was unable to see them. They are reported to be in a measure of stone, and, considering the proximity of the mountains, this is likely, but it also probably means that they are of late date.

At Bokhara itself there seems to be little visible of great antiquity, though *kurgans* exist there as well as elsewhere. The bazaar offered a good opportunity for finding out whether many olds and ends of antiquities are found by the natives and brought there for sale. In this respect this bazaar and all the others I visited were very disappointing. The money dealers and jewellers could show searcely any antiquities other than Mohammedan and Graeco-Persian coins or intaglios. Even Alexander's coinage was searce. The poverty of the bazaar in respect to antiquities is probably to be explained partly by the facts that the natives as yet do not realize that any ancient



FIGURE 10. - MARKET PLACE, SAMARCAND



FIGURE 11.- VIEW TOWARD SAMARCAND FROM SUMMIT OF AFROSIAB

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objects except gens, coins, and objects in gold or silver have any value, and also, as there is but little agriculture, the soil is not turned over. While there was but little that was good to be found in the bazaar at Bokhara, there was a good deal that was bad, for this town is the centre of a thriving trade in forged coins and gems. The greater part are of Graeco-Persian or Graeco-Roman types and are very skilfully made; many of the gems have real charm of design and workmanship.

Next to Merv the ruins of Samarcand were the largest in extent and the most interesting. They are of two classes: one, the *kurgans*, many of large size, that dot the plain south of the city; the other, the remains adjoining the city on the north, of the ancient Afrosiab (Figs. 7-12).



FIGURE 12. - WEST WALL OF AFROSIAB

The *kurgans* seem to be in no particular unusual. One of them, however, which had been used for some generations as a burial-place for a neighboring village, made one realize how careful excavators will need to be in sorting the contents of these mounds when the time comes to dig them. On the surface of this *kurgan* I picked up a flat stone corn-grinder. How this came to be among the graves is not easy to see, unless it had been turned up from inside the mound, where (as in a mound at Margellan) such objects sometimes occur in large numbers. In another mound near by that had been cut by rain and burrowed by treasure-hunters was found a granite pestle, the whole surface of which was rotted. It seems as though this must imply the lapse of a great length of time since the pestle was buried, though it is possible, I suppose, that some unusual strength of acid in the earth where it was found might have produced the same effect quickly.

But at Samarcand it is not these *kurgans*, but the ruins of Afrosiab, that offer the most



FIGURE 13. - FIGURINES IN THE MUSEUM AT SAMARCAND



FIGURE 14. - FIGURINES: COLLECTION OF GENERAL POSLOVSKY AT TASHKENT

interesting field to the excavator.<sup>1</sup> This site was examined in 1885 by M. Wesselofsky. The map made of these explorations shows that no really extensive or thorough work was undertaken, and the fact that the excavator found a large number of terra-cotta figurines of strange types, but could not explain their presence in the spot where they were found, shows that the work was haphazard. On finding such objects, the work ought to have been continued until it could be said whether these figurines were from graves or houses or potters' shops. Some definite evidence should have been sought. Many of these figurines of animals and human beings are in the museum at Samarcand (Fig. 13). The animals are for the most part of ruder work than the human figures, which latter might be divided into three or four distinct classes. There are very rude figures; then those that show Greek, Persian, or Chinese influence. These are small and



FIGURE 15. - JARS FROM KURGANS: TASHKENT MUSEUM

solid, not baked hollow like the Tanagra figures. Besides these figurines, several small (about 2 feet  $\times$  1 foot) terra-cotta sarcophagi have been turned up from time to time near the ruins, but never, I believe, in the *kurgans*. One set was found in a sort of tunnel underneath a modern house. These are of late date, as can be seen from the heads or figures with which one side is generally decorated. They seem to have been used without covers, and to have contained only the scraped and boiled bones of the dead.<sup>2</sup> All the bones except the skulls, which seem not to have been buried with the rest, are present, and in some cases the bones of more than one person are found in one box. Coins and gems are said to be found frequently in the ruins. Of glass or bronze

<sup>1</sup> For antiquities found at Samarcand, see Reinach and others, *Antiquités de la Russie Méridionale*, pp. 353 f.

 $^2$  That the bones were boiled is proved, I am told, by the lack of the periosteum. Cf. Strabo, XI, 8, 6, and XI, 11, 8.

there was extremely little, either in the museums or in the bazaar. Neither here nor elsewhere did I see a single fragment of anything suggesting Egypt.

That the ruins hide much of interest cannot be doubted. They cover an area of about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  versts square, and consist of three chief parts, the Acropolis on the north,



FIGURE 16, - TERRA-COTTAS: TASHKENT MUSEUM

the walls, and the area between the walls and the Aeropolis. The walls are well defined, and on the north and west are pieced by a tunnel. On the Acropolis, walls of sun-dried briek show in two or three gullies, while all over the rest of the area,



FIGURE 17. - FIGURINE (ABOUT 18 INCHES HIGH); SAMARCAND MUSEUM

wherever there is a trench or gully, one finds bones and pottery. The figurines are said to be found in the southern part of the area. The chief difficulty that the site will present to the excavator is the depth of soil to be removed before the most interesting levels are reached. In parts it is evident that as much as 20 or 30 feet will have to be carted away.

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Beyond Samarcand 1 saw no other mass of ruins of equal extent, but at Tashkent are two large *kurgans* that afford special opportunities for studying their construction. One, near the railway station, has been cut into on the sides to get clay for bricks, and this has exposed in several places remains of walls of sun-dried brick elose to the bottom of the mound. Bits of bone were scattered all through the earth, and in places were ashes and charcoal.

The second *kurgan*, to the northeast of the town, had had shafts dug in it some years ago, and it is evident that the interior of the mound has walls and passages running through it. Haphazard excavation to begin with and the grubbing of treasurehunters since has left this, as well as many other sites, in a condition that makes it almost impossible to form any definite ideas as to the original character of the mounds.



FIGURE 18. — KURGAN AT MARGELLAN Destroyed to make brick.

Though there are not so many ruins at Tashkent as in some other places, the museum, and above all the presence of two or three learned Russian officials, make it an important place to visit. General Poslovsky, whose knowledge and advice were of the greatest assistance, has a most interesting collection of coins, gems, and terra-cottas (Fig. 14), and is full of information concerning the history and ruins of the country.

It was at Tashkent I first heard of the so-called "Houses of the Magi," which are said to be buildings of stone and to exist at Tashkurgan (near Tschust) and on the road between Tashkent and Kokand. These two places may possibly be the same. It is incredibly difficult to get accurate information about such things in Turkestan, and when we finally reached Tschust no one had ever heard of "Houses of the Magi" or any other stone ruins. Considering the source of my information, I still believe

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they do exist. At any rate, Tschust is worth a visit, for to the southeast, on the high banks of the Syr Daria, are the ruins of Aksy (Figs. 20, 21), a large walled town, where Greek coins are said to have been found.

At Margellan, in the garden of the governor, is still another *kurgan*, which had been dug up and hence gave a chance to study its construction (Figs. 18, 19). Traces of walls of sun-dried brick were very apparent. These were near the bottom, while nearer

the surface were several large,<sup>1</sup> undecorated terra-cotta jugs, which, judging by the human bones scattered around them, had been used as sarcophagi.<sup>2</sup>

The use of the mound as a graveyard was not its only purpose, for it was evident, from the large number of corn-grinders and flat stones on which to grind the corn, that the mound had been dwelt on by a fairly numerous population. But of this population no further traces were visible, not even pottery.

The museum at Margellan contains little of interest to the archaeologist as yet, but there are two bits of pottery found in a *kurgan* different from any I saw elsewhere. One is a hemispherical cup, about 5 inches aeross, without handle and with the upper half decorated with checkerboard pattern in dark brown. The other is a fragment. It has the shape of a horse's (?) head and is decorated with lines of brown. In so far as it



FIGURE 19. - VASE IN KURGAN AT MARGELLAN

is an animal's head that is rudely represented, it recalls the figurines found at Afrosiab. In so far as clay and decoration go, these two pieces remind one of the heavier, coarser pottery at Anau.

Beyond Margellan one passes gradually out of the region of plains, where there are *kurgans*, and into the region of hills and rock-carvings. One of the last of the rockearvings is at Kumgurissi, southeast of Osh, and in a mound there Chinese remains have been found. This is, as it were, an archaeological boundary stone, dividing Europe and the Orient. Of rock-carvings I saw only those at Arivan, a small town near Osh. They represent men armed with bow and arrow, and horses, and are carved on a hard limestone rock. Others exist on the Kug-art River, east of Namangan. Though we

- <sup>1</sup> About 3 feet high and shaped like a Roman dolium.
- <sup>2</sup> Perhaps these should be compared with the sarcophagi found at Samarcand.

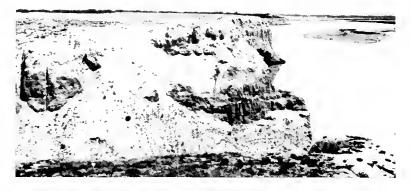


FIGURE 20. - RUINS OF AKSY



FIGURE 21. - RUINS OF AKSY

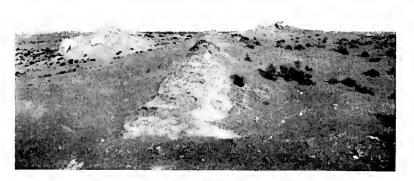


FIGURE 22. - RUINS OF BAIKLAI



FIGURE 23. - REINS OF BAIKENT

followed the old trade route over the Taldyk Pass as far as Lake Kara Kul, and went up the Terek Pass as far as the water allowed. I neither saw nor heard of carvings, and the rock for the most part is so erumbly that I do not believe any exist. At Duschak, and near Arivan, are caves which are held in religious awe by the natives: by passing through the three chambers of the latter, one arrives, it is said, miraculously at Mecca. In these caves hones have been found, and though these bones are quite possibly modern, the caves ought to be carefully cleaned out.

To sum up: Religion, history, and commerce all point to the country east of the Caspian as one of the earliest settled and richest parts of Europe, and one with which our Western and more familiar Europe was intimately associated. The existent traces of this eivilization are clearly marked. In some places, as Merv, Samarcand, or Balkh, are the remains where once dwelt a teeming population; elsewhere are mounds, where were smaller settlements, forts, or burial-places.

Irregular exeavation has already brought to light much of two general kinds. One kind is the Alexandrian remains, and if for no other reason than to get a fuller understanding of Hellenism, that marvelious phase of human development brought about by the great Macedonian, this country ought to be ransacked. But an even deeper interest attaches to the earlier remains, — remains of metal and terra-cotta which can as yet be but partially understood, but that lead to the inevitable conclusion that much will be found of a period as old as any we know anything about, and that will help to fill up a gap in the earliest history of civilization that will tend to give us a completer understanding of all that came later. The work will be arduous. The kurgans must be mapped and cross-sectioned; Merv, Samarcand, and (if government jealousies ever make it possible) Balkh must be carefully excavated. Only in such city-sites will much be found, for nomads such as have always been the population of the greater part of Central Asia have no interest in accumulating material, nor time to perfect and elaborate their products. But though the mounds in the desert will doubtless contain simpler and fewer objects than the mounds near the cities, they will be of equal interest to the student of human development. Works pleasing to the mere aesthetic sense need not be expected, but considering the nature of the country, which, as in Mesopotamia, forced the inhabitants to develop the use of brick, and remembering that the lives of these people were given up to war and trade, we are justified in expecting to find written records.<sup>1</sup> A barrel full of these would, in our present stage of knowledge, he worth more than another set of Elgin marbles. It took the courage of conviction to shovel away the mounds of Nimrud and Troy. Turkestan awaits her Layard and her Schliemann.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> I had already come to this conclusion before I had read Ferrier's *Caravan Journies*. In this work, on page 207, the author, speaking of the bricks at Balkh, says, "On some, but they were very scarce, of which the quality was exceedingly fine and hard, almost equalling stone, 1 observed cunciform characters."

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